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CHINA WILL FIGHT

WILL OFFER RESISTANCE TO THE POWERS.

HAS GREAT ARMY RECRUITED

EIGHTY-EIGHT THOUSAND MEN AT SIAN FU.

FAITH IN THEIR STRENGTH

POWERS WILL REJECT HAY'S PROPOSALS.

Pekin, Jan. 10.—A Chinaman from Sian Fu, wher the court is at present, says that within the city 85,000 Chinese troops are drilling continuously, and the majority of them are armed with modern rifles. He says the feeling of the people there is bitterly anti-foreign and they believe they can meet the allies in the open, fight and defeat them.

The ministers are astonished over the Chinese grant to Russia of a concession north of the Pei-Ho at Tien Tsin as large as the British and French concessions combined. The grant, according to the Russians, was made voluntarily for services in endeavoring to bring about peace. The ministers think the concession constitutes good pay when considered in addition to the annexation of all Manchuria.

Li Hung Chang believe he will receive a favorable reply regarding the signing of the agreement tomorrow.

Senor Corogan, the Spanish minister, thinks negotiations will commence at Pekin, possibly ending in Europe. M. De Giers thinks negotiations will end at The Hague.

THE POWERS WILL DECLINE.

Paris, Jan. 10.—The correspondent here of The Associated Press learns on good authority that the suggestion of the government of the United States to change the seat of the Chinese negotiations from Pekin to Washington will be declined by the powers.

AN IMPORTANT AFFAIR.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The state department has received an important communication from the German government relating to the Chinese question. The nature of the communicaton has not been disclosed.

CARNEGIE OPPOSES HANNA.

Ironwood, Mich., Jan. 10.—The agitation over the proposed appointment of George A. Newett, of Ishpeming, to the state tax commission develops a quiet fight between the Carnegie and Hanna iron interests in the upper peninsula. It is the Oliver Iron company versus the Commonwealth Iron group. According to the opponents of the Oliver company Newett is the candidate of the Carnegie interests, and is being vigorously backed. General Manager Thomas F. Cole, of this city, has canvassed the upper peninsula, getting indorsements for Newett, and coercion is even hinted at.

The Oliver company already leases or owns twelve or fifteen mines and is exceedingly powerful. Governor Bliss still has the matter under advisement, so it is understood here. The confirmation of Newett in the senate, if appointed, will be bitterly contested.

IS NEAR DEATH'S DOOR.

James R. Darrow, an aged and well known citizen, is lying at the pont of death at his home, 15 Holman street. Mr. Darrow is 80 years of age, and is gradually declining beneath the weight of years. His death has been almost momentarily expected for the past forty-eight hours.

PRESIDENT IS BETTER.

Washington, Jan. 10.—At 10 o'clock this morning Secretary Cortelyou said that the president has had a good night and was distinctly better. No complications of any kind have appeared and everything is progressing satisfactorily.

ELKS' OLD CLOTHES SOCIAL.

The "old clothes" social given by the Elks at their lodge rooms last night was a pronounced success in every particular. Notwithstanding the miserable inclemency of the weather, the lodge rooms were completely filled and the happy crowd in the enjoyement of the occasion gave no heed to the pouring rain outside. Elias Day, the impersonator, provided the principal entertainment, and was exceedingly well received. He gave some rare character impersonations, read from Riley and Kipling and introduced some miscellaneous readings that captivated the audience. After the introductory entertainment the lodge and its guests resolved into a genuine old-fashioned social session and jollity prevailed for hours. F. W. Urbahns served as toastmaster and practically everybody present was obliged to contribute something in the way of a story, a song, a dance or something else equally entertaining, and some very delightful bon mots were sprung. There was music galore and refreshments of all kinds were plentiful without cost. Several hundred bundles of old clothes—some not so old, either—were contributed and the cash donations amounted to about $150. The proceeds will be distributed by the lodge relief committee and many families will be made happy as a result of the evening's jollification.

THE C. L. DRUMMOND BENEFIT

MANY SEATS ARE ALREADY RESERVED.

Press Club's Offering at Masonic Temple Friday Evening Will Be Notable.

As the date for the Press club's memorial benefit for the family of the late C. L. Drummond draws near there is a very gratifying interest manifested in the entertainment, and many seats have been reserved today, though there is still ample opportunity for several hundred other friends of Mr. Drummond to express their sympathy in a substantial manner. The entertainment will be given at Masonic Temple theater tomorrow evening and the program arranged will be most enjoyable.

DIED OF BLOOD POISON.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 10.—Walter Steele, one of the founders of the Carpenter Steel works, died last night after an illness of five weeks from blood poison and gangrene. Several months ago the large toe of Mr. Steele's left foot became inflamed as the result of irritation caused by the shoe. Mr. Steele paid little attention to it, bt about five weeks ago the member began to cause him great pain and became considerably swollen. Mr. Steele went to a physician and began treatment, but he grew steadily worse. Mr. Steele was general manager of the Philadelphia Steel ad Iron works, North Reading. He was born in England.

ROUSES THE QUAKER CITY.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 10.—At a meeting last night in the Academy of Music to prevent the spread of vice Bishop Potter spoke and a resoluton was adopted stating that the city had fallen under the sway of the worst elements, organized into a political machine. "The unwarranted use of the police power and other agencies," it was stated, "afflicts us with almost every form of misgovernment." The citizens who signed the invitations to the speakers of the meeting were appointed a preliminary committee to form an organizaton.

A SWEDE'S MAD DEEDS.

Boston, Jan. 10.—Sevante Anderson, a Swede, shot and killed his wife and probably fatally wounded his mother and five-year-old boy at their home in Jamaica Plain today. He then killed himself.

ADMIRAL CERVERA ILL.

Madrid, Jan. 10.—A dispatch from Puerto Real, near Cadiz, where Admiral Cervera is lying ill, says his condition has grown worse and that his recovery is almost hopeless.

E. P. DAILEY RETIRES.

E. P. Dailey, who has been associated with James Taft in the manufacture of ladies' shirt waists under the firm name of the Wayne Waist company, has retired from that firm and Mr. Taft will continue the business, which has grown to gratifying proportions. The factory is upon the third and fourth floors of the Taft dry goods store building.

Owing to the sickness of Mrs. G. W. Stout, who was to have entertained the Mite society of Christ's Lutheran church tomorrow afternoon and evening, the society and friends will be entertained by Mrs. Motschman at the parsonage, 95 Webster street.

SEND A PETITION

FILIPINO PRAYER READ IN THE SENATE.

ASPIRE TO INDEPENDENCE

SAY THEY WILL NOT ACCEPT AUTONOMY.

HAWLEY CALLS IT TREASON

THE DOINGS IN THE HOUSE AND SENATE.

Washington, Jan. 10.—On the desk of Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, at the opening of today's session of the senate, lay a bunch of beautiful roses, sent by friends as a testimonial of his efforts to secure the abolition of the canteen in the army.

Mr. Vest and Mr. Rawlins announced that they had been detained unavoidably from the senate yesterday when the vote on the canteen question was taken. They would have voted, had they been present, to sustain the action of the senate committee—that is, against the abolition of the canteen.

Mr. Teller presented a memorial from 2,006 "Filipinos and peaceful inhabitants" of Manila. The memorial was in the form of an appeal to the congress of the United States, and as Mr. Teller stated, was "signed personally by the leading people of Manila and that section—lawyers, bankers and professional men, representing the best elements of that community."

It recited the circumstances leading up to the present struggle of the Filipinos for independence. It paid a high tribute to the work of Aguinaldo and his coadjutors in their effort to obtain liberty and independence for the people of the Philippines.

Reference was made to some of the principal events of the present revolution against American authority, the petition urging that the American troops had failed to make a serious impression on the revolutionary party. It pointed out that Aguinaldo had declared he might lose the hope of victory, but he would not lose the hope of dying for the liberty and independence of his people. It pointed out that the revolution has the support of practically all the people of the Philippines and declares that though 100 revolutionists be destroyed, 1,000 will rise up to support and fight for independence.

All of the islands of the archipelago, says the memorial, are supporting the revolution and they will not yield until the last drop of Filipino blood has been shed.

The Filipino nation, the memorial continues, bearing in mind the history of America and its humanitarian doctrines, asks the government of the United States to cease its "persecution of men struggling to be free, struggling against greater odds and greater wrongs than those which inspired the fathers of the republic."

This they ask "in the name of Washington, of Jefferson, of Lincoln, in the name of justice and in the name of God Eternal."

The appeal declares that an autonomy similar to that enjoyed by Canada or Australia would not be acceptable to the Filipinos, who desire full liberty and independence, and they urge the government of the United States to give them liberty and independence.

When the reading of the memorial had been concluded Mr. Teller asked that it be printed as a document.

"I object," said Mr. Hawley, of Connecticut; "it is a treasonable denunciation of our government and an attack upon our soldiers."

The senate resumed consideration of the army reorganization bill. An amendment was adopted providing that persons not over forty years of age, who have served as volunteers subsequent to April 21, 1898, may be appointed first and second lieutenants in the regular army.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The desk of Representative Clark, of New Hampshire, who died last night at his home, was shrouded in black and covered with flowers when the house met today.

By unanimous consent the bill to revise and codify the postal laws of the United States was made a special order after the disposal of the river and harbor bill.

The following days were set aside for paying tribute:

Saturday, February 2, at 8 o'clock, to the late Senator Davis, of Minnesota; Saturday, February 9, at 4, to the late Representative Wise, of Virginia; January 26, at 4 o'clock, to the late Senator Gear, of Iowa, and February 16, at 4 o'clock, to the late Representative Hoefecker, of Delaware.

The house then went into committee of the whole and resumed the consideration of the river and harbor bill.

Mr. Shackleford, of Missouri, protested against the action of the committee in abolishing the Missouri river commission.

Mr. Grosvenor, of Ohio, replied briefly to the remarks of some of the western members in favor of appropriations in the river and harbor bill for the reclamation of arid lands.

He appreciated the glamour of the prospect of watering the arid regions of the country, but he denied the power of congress to enter upon a vast scheme of irrigation, and he questioned its propriety.

Mr. Jones, of West Virgnia, made an earnest plea for an appropriation for improving the inner harbor at Grays Harbor, Washington.

Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, then took the floor for an hour's speech, in which he vigorously assailed various features of the bill

He was in favor of promoting interstate commerce by every sort of legitimate improvement. What he complained of were the enormous sums appropriated for purely local and state improvements.

"I understand," said Mr. Hepburn, "that some gentlemen here are getting their backs up because a gentleman is proposing to exploit the manner in which the states of members of the committee are taken care of in this bill. What are you complaining of?" he asked, addressing the members of the committee; "the notoriety of the act or the act itself?"

Mr. Hepburn and W. A. Smith, of Michigan, had a sharp exchange, in which personalities were bandied back and forth. Many of Mr. Hepburn's remarks were aimed at the undue amounts which the state of Michigan received and this fact aroused the resentment of Michigan members.

SENATE KILLS THE CANTEEN.

Washington, Jan. 10.—By a vote of 34 to 15 the senate has delivered a death blow to the army canteen. The result was not accomplished without a determined and persistent struggle on the part of the advocates of temperance in the army. Party lines were lost, and the roll call showed a much larger majority in favor of striking out the provision in favor of the canteen system than was expected. Both houses of congress now having placed themselves on record in support of temperance reform in the army, the members of the W. C. T. U. who led the fight against the canteen feel that the national legislature has started the twentieth century in commendable style.

As the section now stands in the bill it reads as follows:

"The sale or dealing in beer, wine or any intoxicating liquors by any person in any post, exchange or canteen or army transport or upon any premises used for military purposes by the United States is hereby prohibited. The secretary of war is hereby directed to carry the provisions of this section into full force and effect."

DR. WILLIAM E. STEMEN HERE

ARMY SURGEON AT HOME FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

Reached Fort Wayne This Morning and Will Soon Locate in the City Permanently.

Dr. William E. Stemen arrived in the city this morning, and is a guest at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Stemen, at 25 Broadway.

Dr. Stemen has been serving as a surgeon with the United States army in the Philippines, and has just returned to America, having reached San Francisco on the last day of December. He saw long and severe service in the Orient, and was for a time in very poor health.

Dr. Stemen is yet in the service, he has asked for his discharge, and he ahs asked for his discharge, and it is presumed his resignation will be accepted wthin a short time. He will then locate in Fort Wayne permanently, forming a partnership with his father, in the practice of medicine and surgery. He left Fort Wayne a number of years ago, and previous to entering the army was engaged in practice at Kansas City, Missouri.

Paul N. Geiger is at home from Springfield, Ohio.

AT MANY POINTS

THE BOERS ATTACKED THE BRITISH.

AN ATTEMPT TO SURPRISE

SIMULTANEOUS ASSAULTS ON SEVERAL POINTS.

BOERS WERE DRIVEN BACK

KITCHENER REPORTS VERY LIVELY TIMES.

London, Jan. 10.—General Kitchener sends news of a serious simultaneous attack on the night of January 7 by the republicans on the British positions between points sixty miles apart, along the lines of the Pretoria and Lorenzo Marques railway. The losses on both sides were heavy. According to reports the Boers were beaten off after prolonged fighting.

Following is the text of the dispatch from General Kitchener:

"Pretoria, Wednesday, Jan. 9.—On the night of January 7 the Boer made simultaneous and determined attacks upon all of our posts at Belfast, Wonderfontein, Nooitgedacht and Wildfontein.

"Intense fog prevailed, and taking advantage of the cover it afforded, the Boers were able to creep up close to our positions. A heavy fire continued until 3:40 a. m., when the Boers were driven off. One officer was killed and three were wounded, while twenty men were killed and fifty-nine wounded. The loss of the Boers was heavy, twenty-four dead being counted.

"A convoy taking supplies to Gordon's brigade, north of Krugersdorp, was attacked by Beyer's commando yesterday (Tuesday). The Boers wer driven off, leaving eleven dead on the field. Our casualties were four slightly wounded."

ASK FOR PROTECTION.

Cape Town, Jan. 10.—The refugees are apppoaching the military authorities to obtain permission to form a corps for the potection of Johannesburg and the mines only, as they wish to be on the Rand to assist in the defense of their own property. The chamber of ministers has adopted a similar attitude. On the Picquetberg road the Boers occupying Celvinia and Subtherland consist of two columns, one advancing in the direction of Clan William and the other towards Worcester, or in this direction. All passes in front of Worcester have been occupied by toops, which are gathering at strategic points. The Transvaal Dutch openly disapprove of the raid, many even sending horses to the British camp.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

The county commissioners yesterday gave audience to the board of public works. The latter reported the condition of the Clinton street bridge as being inadequate to the requirements of traffic upon the Clinton street thoroughfare and suggested that a new bridge be built or the old one strengthened to meet demands. The commissioners heard the suggestions and then pulled a few volumes of Indiana law on the board. The law provides that in all cases where bridges must be built in cities at a cost to exceed $500 the commissioners shall build said bridge and the city shall thereafter maintain it. Although it is not the letter of the law, the intent doubtless is that the city shall at all times contribute the first $500 of the cost of bridges built within the limits, although this construction has not always been put on the statute. In this case the commissioners hold that inasmuch as there is a bridge at Clinton street, originally built by the county, it is now up to the city to keep it in proper repair, and if it is weak, it is the duty of the board and not the commissioners to properly strengthen it. The law is unquestionably with the county in the matter as it now stands and what action the board will take has not yet been determined. The board having officially declared the bridge insufficient in strength and capacity for legitimate traffic it looks very much as though somebody will have to act in the matter at once or take chances on future damage suits.

Mrs. Stout, wife of Sheriff Stout, who has been ill with grip, is slowly improving.

The case of the state vs. Henry Miller, of Hoagland, for selling liquor without a license, is on trial in the circuit court before a jury. There are many witnesses and the case is vigorously contested.

The petition for the McCormick road in Eel River township has been withdrawn on account of the insufficiency of signers.

Ivory Moore has filed her final report as administratrix of the estate of Eliza J. Moore.

William J. Rodenbeck has filed an inventory of the estate of Christian Rodenbeck, deceased.

Oscar D. Wood has filed suit against Henry M. Williams to recover an equity involved in a real estate transaction consummated in 1891.

Frank J. Poirson, administrator of the estate of Peter F. Poirson, has commenced suit on a mortgage note against Henry J. Boershinger et al., for $250.

The Miller liquor case went to the jury this afternoon.

The county commissioners this afternoon established the Anspach ditch in Jackson township on the report of the viewers.

SENATOR RYAN TAKES SEAT

PERMITTED TO HOLD WHILE CONTEST PENDS.

Decision Reached by Vote in the Chamber—House Adjourned This Morning at 10:30.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Indanapolis, Ind., Jan. 10.—The senate by vote this morning decided that Senator William C. Ryan, betweesn whom and Senator-elect Stephen B. Fleming there is a contest for the seat of the joint senatorship of Adams and Allen counties, should be allowed to take the seat while the contest is pending.

The house adjourned at 10:30 this morning, but the senate met again this afternoon.

The republicans in caucus this afternoon decided to increase the salary of the governor. The democrats oppose the measure.

COMMITTEE AT WEST POINT.

West Point, N. Y., Jan. 10.—Before the members of the congressional investigating comittee resumed their inquiries today into the charges of hazing at the military academy they visited the camp grounds and the field where many fights between cadets have occurred. Colonel Clayton, who is a graduate of the academy, explained the arrangement of the tents in the summer encampments to his brother committeemen, and when they visited the rink in the rear of the camp where the "stretching" process by which several cadets were hazed was discovered.

Cadet William R. Bettison, of Kentucky, was the first witness. He testified that Cadet Breth was his classmate and that Cadet Booz was a fourth-class man, while he (the witness) was a third-class man.

He never knew of Breth being hazed. Witness said he knew of five fights between cadets during his first year and was present at two of them.

Witness said there were nine fights during the year 1899-1900 and seven during the present year. Bettison recalled the names of the participants in nearly all these fights. He said none of these fights had been investigated by the authorities and consequently no one was punished. He had never been a principal in a fight, but had officiated at several, and was the chairman of the "scrapping committee," which decided when a fight was to be arranged.

MANY WERE KILLED.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 10.—The annual popular fete of Torpi-No-Ichi, in the Kanda district of Tokio, was the scene of a terrible accident recently. Great crowds attended the festival and when the affair was at its height a heavy rain began falling. A rush was made for shelter and a panic ensued. Twenty persons were crushed to death and 312 injured. Some of the buildings were burned by the upsetting of kerosene lamps.

A HITCH IN THE LAW.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 10.—President Hobart, of the Saengerfest club, when asked today concerning a statement published here that the Jeffries-Ruhlin contest was declared off, denied that any such action had been taken by the board. He admitted that the board has been notified that some legal complications have arisen. These, Mr. Hobart said, the board will consider today.

The People's Mutual Burial association will hold a meeting this evening at the office of the association, 46 Bank block.

THE STATE SOLONS

THE INDIANA LEGISLATURE IN SESSION.

ARTMAN ELECTED SPEAKER

GOVERNOR MOUNT'S MESSAGE IS READ.

DEALS WITH STATE ISSUES

RECOMMENDS ENACTMENT OF SEVERAL LAWS.

Indianapolis, Jan. 10.—The sixty-second general assembly of Indiana convened today. The feature of the first session was the farewell message of Governor Mount.

Governor-elect Durbin (rep.), will be inaugurated next Monday.

Governor Mount's message dealt with state affairs. He congratulated the people on the good condition of the public finances of the state, the public debt having been materially reduced during the past two years. He recommends a primary election law, a revision of the judiciary and the reorganizing of the state into court districts comprising several counties each and the placing of the state prison under non-partisan management. Concerning recent lynchings in Indiana Governor Mount says:

"The people of Indiana feel keenly the sting of reproach and the justice of the criticism heaped upon the state by reason of the brutal lynchings that have dishonored her good name. Lax enforcement of law brings its fruitage of contempt for law. The remedy must be found through the co-operation of good citizens in demanding a rigid enforcement of the law and not through mob violence."

A more stringent law is recommended.

The governor favors the election of United States senators by popular vote, and declares that kidnaping should be made, in extreme cases, punishable by death or imprisonment for life.

HOUSE ORGANIZATION.

The election of Sampel R. Artman, of Lebanon, as speaker of the house was the completion of a notable victory he had won before the republican caucus made him its unanimous choice last night. James F. Stutesman, of Peru, withdrew his candidacy during the day, leaving Artman a clear field. The house organized today as follows:

Speaker—Samuel R. Artman, of Lebanon.

Chief Clerk—William Essmann, of Indianapolis.

Assistant Clerk—D. B. J. Schafer, of South Bend.

Chief Doorkeeper—W. T. Murray, of Connersville.

Caucus Chairman—John A. Bonham, of Hartford City.

SENATE ORGANIZATION.

The senate caucus nominees were elected today as follows:

President Pro Tem.—Senator William R. Wood, of Lafayette.

Caucus Chairman—Senator Frederick A. Joss, of Indianapolis.

Principal Secretary—W. W. Huffman, of Anderson.

Assistant Secretary—Harmon L. Hutson, of Angola.

Doorkeeper—Clemmer Pelzer, of Evansville.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

The democratic members of the legislature met in caucus at the Grand hotel last night and selected the following honorary candidates for offices in the house and senate for the coming session:

HOUSE.

Speaker—Cyrus E. Davis, Bloomfield.

Principal Secretary—R. F. Stuart, Indianapolis.

Assistant Secretary—C. P. Hanna, Brown county.

Doorkeeper—Luther Van Fossen, Greencastle.

Caucus Chairman—Charles J. Murphy, Brookston.

SENATE.

President Pro Tem.—Eph Inman, Washington.

Principal Secretary—Bayard Gray, Frankfort.

Assistant Secretary—Edward Webber, Columbia City.

Doorkeeper—Jesse Siler, Carthage.

Caucus Chairman—W. E. Stillwell, Princeton.

Joint Caucus Chairman—Frank W. Cregor, Carthage.

Representative Milton T. McCarthy, of Burlington, placed in nomination for speaker George W. Loutitt, representative from Fort Wayne. His nomination was seconded by Henry V. Passage, representative from Peru. Ira H. Larr, representative from

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THE STATE SOLONS

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Merom, placed in nomination Cyrus E. Davis, representative from Bloomfield. His nomination was seconded by Representative Clay W. Metsker, of Plymouth, and Charles T. Myler, of Westfork. The nominations were then declared closed.

The ballot resulted as follows: Davis, 18; Louttit, 17. Following the announcement of the vote Mr. Davis made a short address, in which he thanked the members for the honor conferred upon him.

MOUNT'S LAST MESSAGE.

Following is the text of Governor Mount's last official message to the legislature, read to both branches today:

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:

You have been chosen to the high and responsible duties of lawmakers for this commonwealth. It is within your power to augment the prosperity of a state, while injudicious acts retard advancement and impair efficiency. Your duties are arduous, your responsibilities great. The time allotted for the multiplicity of duties before you is brief. It will therefore be needful that prompt attention from the beginning of the session be given to important measures that will be before you for your action. As a rule, the closing days of the legislature are so crowded with work that careful consideration cannot be given to pending bills.

It is made incumbent upon the executive under the constitution to call the attention of the general assembly to such questions as he may deem wise, and to lay before your honorable body the financial condition of the state, the wants and necessities of its various institutions.

THE STATE'S FINANCES.

The condition of the public finances of the state of Indiana are certainly a matter of congratulation to every citizen of the commonwealth. The debt paying policy has continued during the past two years until at the present time it can be safely predicted that all of the state's indebtedness that admits of payment will be paid within a time not exceeding four years should the specific appropriations of the coming legislature not be abnormally large. The amount of the state debt Jan. 10 of the present year was as follows:

Three per cent refunding school fund bonds, series 1899, $2,930,000; 3½ per cent refunders, series 1895, $585,000; 5½ per cent state house, series 1895, $500,000; state stock certificates (interest stopped), $5,615.12; 5 per cent bond, Purdue University, $340,000; 5 per cent bond, Indiana University, $144,000; total, $4,504,615.12.

Of the above amounts 3 per cent refunding school fund bonds, series 1899, amounting to $2,030,000 have an optional clause, and can be paid from time to time as the state has the means. The 3½ per cent refunding bonds included in the two series of 1895, amounting in the aggregate to $1,085,000, have no option clause and cannot be paid until 1915, the maturity of these bonds. The state's stock certificates, amounting to $5,615.12, were issued for internal improvements in connection with the building of the Wabash and Erie canal, and the probabilities are will never be presented for payment. During the two years past one certificate of this series, amounting to $1,000, has been paid. Notice was issued by the state years ago of its desire to pay these certificates, announcing that the interest would be stopped from that date, and with the exception of the payment above named, none other of these obligations have been presented. The 5 per cent bond due Purdue University, amounting to $340,000, will be due April 1 of the present year, and it was the desire of the state to pay the same. But an examination of the law under which congress made the land grant from which the proceeds of this bond were had, shows that the state guaranteed the interest in perpetuity, and as recommended in another part of this message, the legislature will be called upon to make some provision for the extension of that bond. The 5 per cent bond of the Indiana University is not due for a number of years. So that it will be seen that of the public debt of the state less than $3,000,000 is available in the near future for cancellation. There has been paid on the public debt in the past two years $1,096,000. These payments have been made from the state debt sinking fund of 3 cents on each $100, and an addition of $100,000 from the general fund. The legislature of 1899 made extraordinary specific appropriations consequent upon the necessities of the state institutions and the substantial improvement for the Indiana Reformatory at Jeffersonville. These appropriations, amounting to nearly $1,000,000, were more than double that of any preceding legislature for years past. Should the appropriations for the session of 1901 be of a normal amount the debt paying ability of the incoming administration will be substantially increased. It is my opinion that this policy of the state administration is the true one, and the record that has been made by which so much of the principal has been paid and the interest saved, is one that is and will continue to be of incalculable advantage to our commonwealth in the direction of welcoming capital and manufacturing enterprises, as well as the added benefits of substantial emigration. A state practically out of debt, with its income exceeding its expenses, and with its public affairs managed upon the plane of strict business fidelity, has those substantial elements that cannot fail to attach and attract a future full of hope and achievement.

The state debt sinking fund levy, 3 cents on the $100, now yields about $400,000 per annum. In my judgment this should be continued, and taking that amount as the basis, the surplus from the general fund that will accrue, with the average of appropriations previous to the session of 1899, will extinguish the available portion of the debt within the next four years.

The tax duplicate of Indiana amounts to $1,335,746,698, which is the largest in the history of the state. It is a source of congratulation that the system of taxation in Indiana by which corporate and all other forms of property are assessed at their true cash value, is largely responsible for this very gratifying aggregate of taxables of the commonwealth. What is known as the "seven hundred dollar mortgage deduction act," passed by the legislature of 1899, has not had the effect heralded by many who were opposed to this measure. While the deductions for the year 1899 were in round numbers $27,500,000, there was to offset this, an increase of $23,909,806 in the assessment of the personal property of the state, and of $6,414,640 in the assessment of corporate property.

The total taxes for all purposes, state and county, accruing from the duplicate amounted to $21,659,795.81. Of this amount, however, all the expenses of the general fund of the state and the state debt sinking fund are met on a levy of 17 cents on the $100, which is one of the very lowest levies of any of the states of the Union. Truly every citizen of Indiana can take pride in the admirable financial status of the state, contributory to the intelligent and just tax laws, and the faithfulness and fidelity in which the public business is being administered.

The estimate of receipts of taxes levied for the general fund, with the fees from state offices, together with the earnings of the state institutions and other income earning sources, amount practically to $2,500,000 annually for the coming two years. The estimated disbursements amount to $2,069,010 for the fiscal year 1902 and $2,107,360 for the fiscal year 1903. I would recommend that the present levies of 9 cents for the general fund and 5 cents for the benevolent institution fund should remain unchanged.

It is expected that the claim of the state against the general government providing the funds for the equipment and enlisting of the soldiers of Indiana in the war for the Union, will have a substantial payment made before the adjournment of the present congress. A bill has passed the senate and is now before the house, which if enacted into law, will give to the state near half a million dollars, that has been due as a result of expenditures for interest and discounts on loans that were made and bonds that were carried in providing the ways and means incident to Indiana's quota of soldiers in the war for the Union, and for which the treasury department has steadily refused payment. The Indiana delegation in congress has unanimously given its support to this bill, which makes provision for the payment of these disbarred items, and it is not improbable that a large proportion of this just claim will after so many years be paid. I cannot too strictly urge upon the legislature a purpose on their part to be careful and economical in the matter of specific and general appropriations.

The citizens of this state desire the appropriation of every necessary dollar that will keep the public institutions and the public interests abreast with the marvelous material development of the state, and to that extent the legislature should cheerfully respond, but if this commonwealth is to preserve the fame it has achieved in its record for debt paying and finally be relieved of the burden of interest bearing bonds, it must be on such lines of legislation that will not extravagantly nor unnecessarily vote one dollar of appropriation that is not essential for a practical and deserved purpose.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

The primary convention is the basic foundation of good government. The men chosen at these conventions determine, in large measure, the character of the men who are to make and execute the laws. In some of the large cities, the methods of conducting the primary conventions are anything but assuring. A law that would eliminate the evil now attending some of these conventions and guarantee a free and untrammeled expression from the voters, without cumbersome provisions and expensive paraphernalia, would meet with favor.

ELECTION BRIBERY.

The corruption of the ballot, through the purchase of votes, is a menace to free government. This dangerous evil is growing, and has already reached alarming conditions. Success in a campaign is becoming more and more contingent upon boodle instead of principle and merit. The number of men who put their votes on the market are increasing. What is the fruitage of this deplorable tendency? Men of wealth, instead of ability, have the preference. Syndicates, monopolies, trusts, corporations are solicited for large campaign contributions, thus placing the parties their debtor. Wealth has undue influence in molding laws. Hence the tendency of legislation is not so much in the interest of the man who holds the plow or wields the hammer, who works in the mine or factory, as in the interest of the men who furnished the "boodle" in the campaign. The present dangerous and disreputable methods must be stopped. Both the seller and the buyer of votes should be punished by disfranchisement, by fine and imprisonment.

THE INSANE.

A long step was taken by the last legislature toward providing for the insane of the state. Still larger provisions must be made. It is the duty of the state to provide for its unfortunate wards. The speedy administration of treatment to those bereft of reason always increases the chances for recovery. Delay in such attention is attended with unfavorable results. The aggregate number of inmates in the four insane hospitals is 3,502 divided as follows: Central, 1,639; northern, 691; eastern, 593; southern, 579. Both the condition and management of these institutions are to be commended. They are controlled by able and experienced superintendents.

A large number of epileptics are now cared for in different institutions at public expense. Some in the insane hospitals, and some in the school for feeble-minded. The attention of the legislature is called to this important question. There are in our prisons and reformatories a number of insane. There are no facilities for their suitable care. It is unwise to remove them to the insane hospitals. There are in these hospitals insane criminals, who have been transferred from the prisons. These are in a degree a dangerous and disturbing element. I recommend that a suitable place be provided, having in view their treatment and safe keeping. This should be adjacent to one of the smaller hospitals, and under the management of the same.

THE JUDICIARY.

Two years ago I called the attention of the legislature to the growing need of revising the judiciary of the state. In the vetoing of court bills, I likewise emphasized this need. Demand for new court districts comes with each assembling of the lawmaking power. In some instances there is apparent need for relief to the crowded docket, but in many courts there is not business to occupy one-half of the time of an industrious court. The present method of relief intensifies this inequality. It often makes two courts where one could do the work, thus increasing expenses unnecessarily. If the present rule is followed and increasing demands granted, in the near future there will be a separate circuit court for each county, while the larger counties, with competing cities, will demand two courts of concurrent jurisdiction, as was done in the last session of the legislature in thus creating two courts in the counties of Lake and Laporte, with all needed appliances, thus burdening the people unnecessarily with taxation. Courts are multiplying more rapidly than litigation, and court expenses at a more rapid rate than courts. This increase of courts is attended with a growing evil. A leading lawyer of the bar in a county is chosen judge. He being interested as an attorney is disqualified from acting as judge in much of the litigation. Hence the need of a special judge with additional expense to be paid by the state for performing the duties for which another judge is paid by fixed salary. With such unmethodical and unwise system, is it any wonder that the taxpayers realize that the levy increases more rapidly than the assessment list? This growing expense can be obviated and existing inequalities removed through the reorganization of the state into court districts comprising several counties, equalizing as nearly as possible the work of the several districts, and providing for the number of judges to correspond with the size of said districts. The judges thus chosen and following succession would remove the need of special judges. Such a system would secure the best legal talent in the district, better maintain the dignity of the courts, and the methods of the best judge would be likely to become the rule in transacting business in the circuit. Under such a system fewer judges than we now have would transact business better, save the expense of special judges (which amounted to over $30,000 in the past two years, an amount sufficient to pay the salary of 12 judges for one year), and in the aggregate save multiplied thousands of dollars of expense, while at the same time securing to the people what the constitution contemplates, that "justice shall be administered freely and without purchase, complete and without denial, speedy and without delay."

THE SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

Indiana is justly proud of the splendid tribute paid to her soldiers and sailors in the monument erected to their memory. This silent monitor, voiceless yet eloquent, tells of the suffering and the sacrifice in the nation's defense. It belongs to the state. Its view should never be obstructd nor free approach trammeled. I earnestly recommend the enactment of a law that will forbid its desecration and a repetion of the scenes of last fall, when it was surrounded by a wall of boards and by conditions neither conducive to patriotism or good morals. In short, it should under no circumstances be used for any other purpose than that for which it was originally designed. It is not a subject for sacrilege.

NONPARTISAN CONTROL.

In the management of the state institutions the welfare of the inmates, the good name of the state, has been kept constantly in view. The maximum in efficiency with the minimum in cost have been the objective points. The merit and not the spoils system now dominates. The per capita cost has been reduced. The secretary of the state board of charities, when asked as to the difference in the cost of the present nonpartisan control as compared with partisan rule, reports a per capita saving amounting in the aggregate to over $340,000 annually, and the inmates receiving better care than ever before. I recommend the enactment of a law placing the Indiana state prison under nonpartisan management. This rule now obtains there, but not by direct process of law.

The Indiana Industrial School for Girls and Woman's Prison should be separated, but retained under one management. It is a shame that an infant should, for no other reason than poverty, be sent to an institution to which are committed the "immoral," the "vicious," the "incorrigible," the "depraved." Such infants who have committed no crime and are not incorrigible, should be placed in orphans' homes or in the care of the state agency of the board of state charities.

I wish to call attention of the general assembly to the efforts of the present management of the state library to make more easily accessible by systematic arrangement, cataloguing and indexing the contents of the library. I should like also to commend the request of the state librarian for larger appropriations for the collection and preservation of materials relating to the early history of the state.

I desire to commend the splendid management of the School for the Feeble Minded. The degenerate and imbecile class should not be turned loose upon society when they have passed the age limit now provided by law. Good judgment and sound economic sense would approve of enlarging the facilities for caring for feeble-minded or imbecile women of child-bearing age. At present many of these women are in county infirmaries or living where they are exposed to the passion of depraved men, and are multiplying a race of dependents to be a further burden to the state. These women are a menace to good morals, and are multiplying a race of dependents, thus laying the foundation for growing evil and enlarged public charge. Additional land should be purchased and this institution enlarged. This would give increased opportunity for Superintendent Johnson to exercise his splendid executive ability. The brickyard and the farm have demonstrated this ability. Mr. Johnson is not paid a salary comensurate with his service, or in keeping with the salaries paid to other state officers.

STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE

The energy and ability displayed by this board in securing the finest exhibit, last fall, ever shown in the state, is worthy of commendation. The unfavorable weather was discouraging and prevented the state fair from being a great success financially. The state is making commendable advancement in the improvement of live-stock of all kinds. In horticulture, in growth of the cereals—in short, in all its agricultural interests, our state takes high rank. Much of this progress is due to our state fair. The fair belongs to the state. With commendable pride all our people should encourage and patronize the fair, which should be represented by mechanical skul and fine arts, as well as agricultural interests.

LABOR COMMISSIONERS.

With commendable wisdom and zeal the state labor commissioners have discharged their responsible duties. But little disturbance over scale of wages has occurred. The workingmen of the various industries and interests of the state are industrious and law abiding. The commissioners have been a potent factor in securing an amicable adjustment of all labor troubles. The public has an interest in the peaceable adjustment of industrial disputes, and where the public is made to suffer loss and inconvenience, where public carriers are stopped, travel and traffic suspended, perishable commodities in transit to market endangered, life and property jeopardized, the power of a court of arbitration should be enlarged. It is against public policy to allow local differences to menace the general safety and welfare of communities at large.

THE LOBBYIST.

The lobbyist is becoming more and more an element of danger in our lawmaking assemblies. They are often the paid agents of promoters of questionable schemes, the hired tools of syndicates, corporations—working not for public weal, but for the promotion of the ambition or greed of adventurers, whose servants they are. The professional lobbyist is a foe to good government, and merits the righteous condemnation of those who have uppermost in their desires the good of the people.

STATE HOUSE REPAIRS.

This magnificent capitol should be kept in good repair. An appropriation sufficient to this end is wise. It is false economy to neglect the plumbing and repairs of public buildings. The capitol should be held strictly for public business. Any state official organizations should be permitted to occupy the state house, but for the benefit of promiscuous organizations and assemblages the taxpayers of the state should not be at the expense of providing halls. The grounds should not be used for any purpose that will damage the grass, plants or trees.

PROBATION LAW.

I earnestly recommend the enactment of a law authorizing the judge at his discretion, for first offense, to suspend sentence upon juvenile offenders during good behavior. Such a law would save many youths from the stigma of a prison sentence, keep them away from the demoralizing influences of such environments, and be the means of reclaiming juvenile offenders from criminal ways.

UNIFORM LAWS.

It has been well said, "Science and invention, steam and electricity, know nothing of state boundaries. Trade and commerce, education and enterprise, free the whole country in common interests and need the kindly guardianship of uniform laws." The national conference of lawyers, looking to uniformity of laws, indorsed, and Indiana's representatives in this convention recommended, the enactment of a uniform law concerning negotiable instruments, the execution of wills, also divorce law. The wisdom of uniform laws upon these questions is too manifest to need argument in their favor.

MORTGAGE EXEMPTION.

It is a grave question whether any exemption other than that provided in the constitution should be allowed in our tax system. The mortgage exemption law enacted by the last legislature is manifestly more just than any other exemption now permitted. Where no mortgage exemption is permitted the owner of a home is often forced to pay taxes on two or three times as much property as he possesses free from mortgage encumbrance, while the investor in intangible securities often escapes paying any taxes, no matter what his securities or his investment is worth in the open market. Such system discourages the purchase of a home by the poor man. The ownership of a home creates a local interest in all that is elevating and tends to local progress. Both wisdom and equity plead for fair play to the home-getter.

REFORM LAWS.

There is a growing sentiment in favor of strict economy and business integrity in the management of county and township business. The laws recently enacted looking to this end have in the main been wise. Some little amendments may be added, but the principle of these laws must be maintained. More than half a million dollars have been saved to the taxpayers annually through the county reform laws. Multiplied thousands of dollars have been saved to the taxpayers under these new laws. The saving in poor relief costs makes a marvelous showing. The general testimony of relief-giving officers is that, notwithstanding this reduction, no needy person has suffered. The existing business conditions, by reason of which our people are generally employed, have been very favorable to the inauguration of the new law and have, doubtless, to some extent, operated in the reduction made. It is worthy of note that there are, also, less inmates in county infirmaries.

The state board of health, with commendable zeal, has studied sanitary conditions, and promptly combatted the first appearance of infectious and contagious diseases. Many valuable suggestions are presented in their annual report. The state should sacredly guard the public health.

GOOD ROADS.

Good thoroughfares facilitate intercommunication among farmers and between the country towns and cities. These remove much of the disadvantage caused by the isolation of rural life. Good roads are needful to social development and intellectual progress. They add to the material prosperity of the country at large. Rural free delivery of mail is destined to do much to elevate farm life. Road improvement is one of the conditions needful to secure these advantages. All classes of people are benefited when roads are improved. The act of two years ago, placing the free gravel roads under the control of the supervisors instead of the county commissioners, was a disastrous mistake and should be promptly repealed. The county commissioners, under whose supervision these roads were constructed, should have control of repairs. They should appoint local superintendents, who, under their direction, should keep these roads in good condition. The commissioners are thus brought in contact with all the local superintendents, and, through the reports of these men, become acquainted with the methods of the most successful, which soon become the rules governing all. From personal observation and careful inquiry, I am convinced of the importance of this change.

If the supervisors enforce the law which requires service on the highways, and faithfully execute the law in regard to working out road taxes, a noted improvement in the roads would result therefrom. Both in my inaugural address and in my biennial message, I called attention to the unfair methods in vogue whereby the road assesment on railroads was farmed out through an agent who takes from the railroad at a large discount their assessment, makes a deal with the road supervisor, gets the receipt in full for the assessment, and turns the same over to the railroads, who use these receipts as cash in payment of taxes. The railroads are assessed for taxation in round numbers at $151,000,000. The average road tax is about 20 cents on the $100, thus creating a road tax of about $300,000. It is safe to say that $120,000 of this amount is not expended for highway improvement as contemplated by law. This high-handed injustice has continued long enough. From an editorial in one of the local papers in the state, I learned in one instance that all this road tax was misappropriated in a road district, and the supervisor who was guilty of this offense was convicted and is now in prison. I earnestly call the attention of the legislature again to this iniquitous practice.

All road taxes should be paid in cash, reserving to the payer the right to work out the same, provided he responds at the time and in the manner required by the supervisor, accepting the lawful price for such labor, and performing service in full for all receipts given.

LYNCHING.

The people of Indiana feel keenly the sting of reproach and the justice of the criticism heaped upon the state by reason of the brutal lynchings that have dishonored her good name. That the lynched committed a brutal crime is no justification for dethroning law and courts of justice, and establishing mob violence at the behest of infuriated and impassioned men. Where lynch lawlessness obtains, safety to person and property is lost. A mob is an assembly of lawless men acting in defiance to law. Can such men administer justice? Lax enforcement of law brings its fruitage of contempt for law. It is cause for regret that some of our courts daily with criminals, and allow criminal lawyers, by various methods, to delay trial and often to defeat the ends of justice. The remedy for this must not be sought through the committal of crimes more grievous than that committed by the accused in court. The remedy must be found through the co-operation of good citizens in demanding a rigid enforcement of the law, and not through mob violence.

The law-abiding people must be willing to testify as witnesses, serve on juries, and see that courageous, true men are selected as judges and prosecutors. The lynchings that have marred the good name of our state and disgraced the cause of justice by revolting murder demand heroic remedy. I trust the legislature will enact further laws that will prove a wholesome remedy against further dishonor.

There is a growing sentiment in favor of the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people. Many of the state legislatures have adopted resolutions favoring an amendment to the constitution giving to the people the right to choose their senators by direct vote. Such action on the part of this general assembly would reflect the will of a large majority of our people.

THE TRUST PROBLEM.

I hope the present general assembly will wisely and courageously meet the grave questions which the greed of monopoly has forced to the front. The line of demarcation between the legitimate functions of large investments of capital, independently controlled, and the combination of industries into a gigantic monopoly, for the purpose of influencing markets and the gratification of the spirit of avarice, are so diverse that the good may not be placed under ban with the evil. During the past two years monopolistic tendency has been the rule. Small industries have been absorbed and dismantled. Healthy competition, in many instances, destroyed, large industries closed, prices forced upward by arbitrary methods, all of which constitute dangerous conspiracies against the public good. Large investments of capital, independently controlled, and not exercising arbitrary methods in restraint of trade and healthy competition, are benefaction and should be commended. In the limited space that can appropriately be given to a message, I must be content to point out the need, and leave to the wisdom of the legislature to provide the remedy.

SUNDRY SUGGESTIONS.

Among the sundry recommendations is one for a liberal appropriation for Purdue university; for some measure looking to the practical improvement of the Kankakee river valley; for a suitable appropriation for the State Library Commission; acknowledgments to the Chickamauga National Park commission; an increase in the appropriation for the board of state charities; a study of the work of the fee and salary commission. Attention is called to a proposition to change the location of the girls' reformatory and woman's prison and the institute for the deaf and dumb; a protest is uttered against the arbitrary control of the rate of fire insurance by combinations of underwriters; an increase of the sum set apart for farmers' institutes is urged; the public school system is commended; a law making kidnapping for ransom punishable by death or life imprisonment is recommended; the Toledo and Buffalo expositions are commended; the erection of a governor's residence is suggested. In conclusion the governor says:

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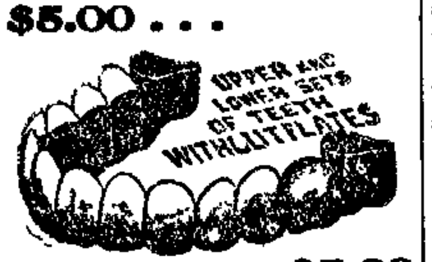

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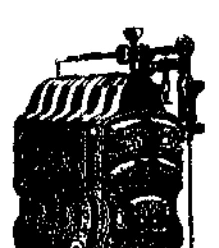

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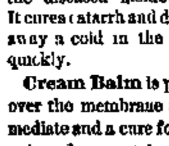

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LOCAL LINES.

Judge Chapin is at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Mason, of Lakeside, is quite ill with pleurisy.

Allen Snyder is transacting business in Indianapolis.

Capt. A. H. Dougall is transacting business in Indianapolis.

Miss Elizabeth Sihler is visiting relatives in Adrian, Mich.

Mrs. George Potter entertained the Winter Picnic club yesterday.

G. W. Cook, of Cleveland, Ohio, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Will Baade entertained the Sans Souci club yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Clifford Endley, of Springfield, O., is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Geiger.

Mrs. Ernst Boester is able to be about again after an illness of several weeks.

Miss Lizzie Paul entertained the members of the Mimosa club Wednesday evening.

Miss Persis Sawtelle has returned home to Toledo after a visit with Miss Mary Evans.

Dr. Mason is in Indianapolis where he is attending a meeting of the state dental board.

Herman Bittler left yesterday to resume his studies at Capitol university, Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Charles Felske, of Kokomo, who has been the guest of Miss Grace Crosby, has returned home.

Next Wednesday evening Miss Vera Graffe will entertain the Wednesday Evening Pedro club.

Will Albersmeyer was tendered a surprise party Tuesday evening in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Minnich are visiting friends in Toledo and will visit in Battle Creek before returning home.

Col. and Mrs. R. S. Robertson gave a dinner party last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Foster, of Terre Haute.

Ethel, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gosjean, of 466 South Calhoun street, is ill with diphtheria.

The Young People's club of the Jefferson Street Church of Christ will hold a business meeting on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones are entertaining Mrs. James H. Clark, of Toledo, and Miss Elizabeth Wade, of Jamestown, N. Y.

Bishop Alerding and Rev. John Durham have gone to Rensselaer college, where the bishop will make his first official visit.

Shiloh Chapter No. 141, Order of the Eastern Star, will install officers this evening and will enjoy a banquet after the ceremonies.

Rev. L. J. Naftzger, of Muncie, is in the city today. He is one of the best known ministers in the North Indiana M. E. conference.

Dr. S. H. Havice, treasurer of the College of Medicine, lost $55 somewhere between his office and the Old National bank yesterday.

The Ladies' Aid society of Bethel Evangelical church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Lehman, 618 South Calhoun street.

The Ladies' Aid society of the South Congregational church met at the home of Mrs. Lehman, 209 Hoagland avenue, this afternoon.

George Grothers, a young business man at Kansas City, who has been visiting his mother and sisters in this city, has returned to his western home.

Prof. A. Crull and Dr. Eric Crull have been called to Port Huron, Mich., on account of the serious illness of Prof. Crull's daughter, Mrs. Borneman.

Miss Carolina Von Weber, a noted vocal instructor from Chicago, has organized classes here and will come to the city twice each week to give instruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nestel, of 22 Scott avenue, left at noon yesterday for Rochester, N. Y., to visit friends. On the return trp Mr. ad Mrs. Nestel will visit for a time at Toledo.

W. H. Starke, of the Wayne hotel, will entertain a company of friends at his home, 45 Spy Run avenue, Friday evening, January 18, in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Henry Stocking is very seriously ill at his home, 80 Lake avenue, as the result of a congestive chill and but slight hopes are entertained of his recovery. Mr. Stocking is in his eighty-third year.

Charles McNally, of the Findlay road, is critically ill at St. Joseph hospital from Bright's disease. His condtion is such that little hope is entertained of his recovery. Mr. McNally is a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

J. W. Barnes, who has been in poor health for several years, is now confined to his bed. Mr. Barnes is a veteran of the civil war, and his illness is the result of a gunshot wound received at the battle of Fair Oaks. The bullet received on that occasion is still imbedded in Mr. Barnes' right leg.

Before leaving for college to resume his studies, John Wessel entertained a large part yof friends at his home on St. Martin's street. Progressive pedro was the chief diversion, and first prizes were won by Miss A. Grimme and Tom Ehinger, while Miss Ella Franke and Frank Kehoe were awarded the consolations. An elaborate supper was served at the close of the playing.

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First you think it is a little cold, nothing but a little hacking cough; then a little loss in weight; then a harder cough; then the fever and the night sweats. Then consumption.

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Miss Anna Eckart gave a small dinner party last evening.

Rabbi Frederick Cohn has returned from a business trip to Indianapolis.

Mrs. H. W. TenBroeck and son have returned from a visit in Grand Rapids.

Fort Wayne lodge No. 116, K. of P., will give a banquet Tuesday evening, January 22.

The Misses Lena and Olive Cornwall have returned from a visit in Hicksville, Ohio.

Mrs. Ben Ninde was guest of honor at a luncheon given today by Miss Catherine Hamilton.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Parker, of St. Joseph township, twins—a son and daughter.

Senator Will Ryan has gone to Indianapolis to attend the session of the general assembly.

Editor F. E. Miner, of the South Whitley News, was a business visitor in the city on Wednesday.

Dr. C. M. Corns has gone to Dayton, where he was called on account of the death of his fiancee.

Court No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will install officers and enjoy a banquet on Monday evening.

Miss Ella Talmage will go to Memphis, Tenn., Saturday for an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. D. C. Stout and daughter, Frances, have returned from a visit with friends in Monroeville.

Miss Carlie Olds will entertain the Saturday Euchre club this week, assisted by Miss Esther Smith.

The large curved plate glass front at Wolff Bros., which was broken when it was first put in, was being replaced with a new one Wednesday. The new plate was found too large and in attempting to cut it to the required size it was broken again. It will be patched temporarily and another new front ordered. The work was being done by a Chicago contracting firm and the loss will fall on them. The glass is valued at between $200 and $300.

TELEPHONE TROUBLES.

The severe rain and sleet storm last evening caused much trouble on the telephone lines. While no actual damage was done it was impossible for a time to converse over the lines on account of the roaring caused by short circuits and crossed wires. The Bell company experienced the most trouble, their lines having been crossed by the electric light wires, and it was not until late this morning that the trouble was located.

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Her Father in the Same Mind.

"I never thought for one moment that coffee was the cause of my worn out feeling and dull headaches and energy all gone, until I began to notice that my bad feelings came on every morning after drinking coffee for breakfast, no matter how well I felt when I got up.

"I began to think the subject over and finally decided to try Postum Food Coffee in place of common coffee and see if it was coffee that had been hurting me. After making the change, I discovered, to my delight, that the headache and worn out feeling did not come on after breakfast.

"After a very thorough trial I am fully convinced that coffee was the cause of my trouble, and that leaving it off and using Postum Food Coffee has restored me to health.

"My father, who has had very poor health for several years, quit coffee some time ago and began using Postum in place of it. It would surprise anyone to see how much he has improved.

"When I boil Postum twenty minutes and serve it immediately while it is hot, with good rich cream, I think it far excels any coffee.

"Please do not print my name."

This lady lives in Prairie City, Ia. Her name can be given by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., of Battle Creek, Mich.

MR. GOULD TONIGHT.

At the assembly room of the court house this evening Edwin F. Gould, editor of the Indianapolis Union and one of the most brilliant labor orators in the west, will deliver an address under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Council and the Union Label League. Mr. Gould's subject will be "Union Labels," and it is certain that those who attend will be well repaid. Mr. Gould is a gifted speaker who presents his facts in a vivid manner and wth an earnestness that never fails to be impressive. There is no admission charged and the invitation is extended to all.

Concerning Mr. Gould a Marion paper says:

"Many who need that higher education which teaches the unity of humanity and the brotherhood of man could learn from his lectures that which but few men in our state can teach, and none can surpass him except it be the one great teacher, E. V. Debs.

"By many examples told in incidents and anecdotes of facts in a great experience, Mr. Gould impressed the minds of his listeners with lasting impressions that no one can forget. He told us how Wall street in New York and Threadneedle street in London, by the manipulation of railroad corporations, forced farmers in the west to burn food for fuel and mine owners got three profits on their prices for coal, while the people in the east were suffering with hunger. He told us how the woman wage slave, after her young life was passed in drudgery, was destroyed in soul and body by the same system of competition in labor and wage earners' life-destroying conditions which prevail in a country boasting of freedom and equality in birth.

"While listening to his recitals of wrongs endured by women and children, caused by the infernal industrial system under which we live, sometimes the audience would show how their sympathies were aroused by the tears dropping from half-blinded eyes. Then again, at some apt story of a political intrigue to exploit the workers, laughter and applause showed the appreciation of the speaker's hits and comparisons."

WILSON—COYLE.

Miss Emma J. Coyle, of this city, was united in marriage at 6 o'clock last evening to Joseph W. Wilson, of Hicksville, Ohio, the ceremony being performed by Rev. A. K. Zartman, pastor of Grace Reformed church, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Dietrich, of 120 Greely street. After the ceremony a quiet little wedding celebration was held, the guests being immediate friends of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside in Hiksville.

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All members of Wayne Tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M., are requested to attend the next review on Thursday, the 10th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Business of importance to be transacted.

J. C. WILLIAMS, Com.
J. W. HALL, R. K.
9-10

LOST.

LOST—Last night—Bill book containing certificate of deposit and promissory note and cash. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward.

LOST—Llewlyn setter dog, answers to name of "Pat;" white, with small brown spot and large brown spot covering right eye. Return to W. J. Lonergan, 511 S. Lafayette St., and receive reward. 8t3

WANTED.

WANTED—Washings to do at home; will call for and deliver [illegible] 156 Wallace. [illegible]

WANTED—Agents to canvas for a 10c article. Apply A. C. Pennington, 300 Hanna St. 10-3t

WANTED—A girl for general housework, small family. Call at 319 E. Washington street. 4tf

WANTED—A good, competent girl for general housework. Apply at 302 W. Washington. 4tf

WANTED—Girl for second work; must come well recommended. Apply Mrs. Bulson, 55 W. Wayne St. 10-2t

WANTED—Two young men at once to handle luminous signs. Call after 4 p. m. at No. 9 Columbia ave. 9t12

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

WANTED—A few boarders by a private family; price of room with board $3.50 per week. Inquire at 190 East Wayne St. 6-4t

WANTED—Handsome young man of means wants to marry a gentle, loving and amiable lady. Address Box 426, Anderson, Ind. 10-2t

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms at 110 West Jefferson; one on first floor and one on second floor; very pleasant and reasonable. 9-2t

WANTED—A couple of active men who are Odd Fellows in good standing and good talkers; permanent position; liberal salary. Address D 1, care Sentinel.

WANTED—An idea; the patent route is the shortest road to wealth, besides you are sure of good company. W. G. Burns, Patent Attorney, 80 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Every man, woman, and child to call at the Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000. Interest paid on deposits. 8tf

WANTED—Employment office, at Mrs. Fitzgerald's, removed to 39 W. Washington St.; wanted cooks for in and out of city; second girls and girls for general housework; good wages; no charges to girls; have housekeeper, good reference. 16-tf

WANTED—Coins, gold dollars, halves, quarters and $3 pieces, U. S. fractional currency, 3c, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c (paper); large U. S. cents and half cents; flying eagle cents 1856; rare old U. S. stamps. A good premium will be paid for any of these. Apply, Dr. J. A. Williams, 98 Calhoun St., upstairs. 12-14 1mo

WANTED—You to escape La Grippe, Catarrh, Pneumonia, Neuralgia, and Rheumatic pains, serious acute sickness, throat, lung and heart trouble. Be wise in time. Own the Oxygenor King. Leased or sold on easy terms. Rooms 3 and 4 Schmitz Block. Phone, office, 580; residence, 1483. C. W. Bussard, Manager. 12-24-1m

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. 24 W. Berry St. 1-8-1m

FOR RENT—Two 6-room cottages; rent reasonable. Apply at 35 Bank Block. 31-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with bath and gas. Inquire, 22 West Main St. 12-1mo.

FOR RENT—No. 247 East Wayne, modern, $16; 169 East Berry, modern, and No. 401 South Hanna, eight rooms and barn. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR RENT—One handsome furnished room in private family; all modern conveniences; centrally located; references required. Address, Box 8, this office 7tf

FOR RENT—A store room; 40 Maumee Ave, which has been occupied continuously for ten years as a grocery; living rooms very convenient and a part of the building; rent reasonable. Inquire at 42 Maumee Ave. 3-tf

FOR RENT—Dwellings Nos. 187 W. Berry St., 273 W. Wayne St., 230 W. Washington St., 208 W. DeWald St., 331 West Jefferson St., 32 E. Berry St., office rooms; 33 St. Mary's Ave.; property to sell and money to loan. Schrader & Wilson, No. 7 Court St. 10-tf

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FOR SALE—Stand truck, horse, wagon and harness at a bargain. 80 Wall St. 9-2t

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18-tf

FOR SALE—Two nice homes in Lakeside; will be sold at a sacrifice on account encumbrance. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A choice farm, south of city; belongs to heirs and must sell; it is certainly a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage, with barn, West Williams street; pavement paid; only $1,450. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New double house, slate roof, two bath rooms; rents $324; price $3,200; will take some trade. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—I will sell the Updike residence, 46 Huestis avenue, for Ohio parties, regardless of value. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new 7-room house and full lot, corner Holton Ave., near Bowser's factory; only $1,300. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Eighty-one acre farm, suitable for dairy, three miles s. w. of city, near McMaken farm; only $55 per acre. W. E. Doud, over old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Fifty-foot corner lot, with six-room cottage house, nearly new, East Washington street; cut from $2,600 to $2,350. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A lovely modern home; on Creighton, between Calhoun and Webster; guaranteed to suit the most fastidious, even as to price. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—We still have some very good bargains in men's, women's and children's shoes that we sell at one-half price; please call and bring this "ad" with you and we will show that our statement is true. Libbing & Co., 39 E. Main St.

FOR SALE—At a bargain if sold at once, a very desirable residence on West Main street, within ten minutes walk of the court house; soft water, bath and all modern improvements. For further information address, K. M., care Letter Carrier No. 5. 27-1mo

FOR SALE—A first-class brick house on Baker street; must be sold. Also two good seven-room houses on Walton Ave. These houses are new. Well sell on part payment down; balance monthly payments. Who wants a fine lot on W. Wayne St? Will build for you on these lots. Come and see me and find out particulars. L. F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 1-3-tf

FOR SALE—Or trade—Land for good city property. One 500 acre tract, good buildings; one 262 acre tract, good buildings; two 40 acre tracts, good buildings; two 40 acre tracts, without buildings; one fine 40 acre tract, prepared for 2,000 chickens, and plenty of good buildings; 280 acre tract, with good buildings on; one 3 acre tract, good buildings; one brick hotel of 24 rooms, at Avilla, Ind. All in Allen county, Ind. For further particulars, call on R. C. Niswonger & Co., 18 Harrison St., Fort Wayne. 6-26-d&w-tf

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

UNION LABEL

THURSDAY, JAN. 10, 1901.

TONIGHT.

Board of Public Works—Regular meeting.

Isaac Knapp Dental Coterie—Regular meeting at Miss French's office.

Knights of Labor—Regular meeting at K. of L. hall.

Waist Factory Employes—Regular meeting at Red Men's hall.

Commercial Club—Regular meeting in club rooms in Odd Fellows' block.

[illegible]shoers—Regular meeting at bra[illegible] Harrison streets, up-3,40[illegible]

[illegible]icers—Regular meeting of No. [illegible] 138 Calhoun street, third [illegible].

[illegible]trical Workers—Regular meeting of No. 138 at 29 East Berry street.

Newsboys—Regular meeting in city hall, third floor.

Lathers—Regular meeting of No. 34 at 64 East Main street, third floor.

Lodges—Fort Camp No. 656, Royal Neighbors of America; Ben Hur Court No. 96; Wayne Tent No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Summit City No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Modern American Fraternal Order; Fort Wayne Commandery No. 4, Knights Templar; Fort Wayne Camp No. 1656, Royal Neighbors; Wayne Council No. 7, Fort Wayne Life Annuity; Wayne Commandery, Benevolent Legion.

Masonic Temple—Week's events:
Thursday evening—"Social Maids."
Friday evening—Memorial benefit entertainment for the family of the late C. L. Drummond, under the auspices of the Press club.

Labor Address—By Edwin F. Gould, of Indianapolis, in assembly room of the new court house.

The progress of Mr. Artman's cinch on the speakership of the Indiana house has been interesting, but the result was not unexpected. Just why Artman should be so inevitable is not clear.

Wholly aside from the question whether a big or little house is the more efficient in transacting public business it is ridiculous to asssume that a change of less than 30 in either direction, on a base total of 360, would make any important difference.

To judge from the startling suspicions of some of our electricians and astronomers, the people on the planet Mars may be making a desperate effort to communicate with the inhabitants of the earth. What can it be they want to tell us that we ought to know? Is it possibly, with their superior wisdom, that they could divulge the whereabouts of Pat Crowe and Aguinaldo, and foretell the fate of the subsidy steal?

The senate has accepted the house provision of the army bill abolishing the army canteen, or post exchange where beer is sold to the soldiers. There now seems little prospect that the provision will not become a part of the law, notwithstanding most of the officers of the army have united in testifying that the canteen really promotes temperance by driving out of business the low groggeries that have always been numerous at the boundaries of military reservations. But the sentiment of the country seems unmistakably opposed to the quasi-partnership of the government in the saloon business under the canteen arrangement and both house and senate have yielded to this sentiment. The advocates of the anti-canteen law believe that it is not necessary for the government to become involved in any degree in the business of liquor-selling in order to do away with the evils of intemperance in the army.

It is probable that at the close of tonight's meeting of the Commercial club the auditorium project will be seen in a more distinct light. The matter is to be discussed and without doubt a definite plan of organization and method of procedure will be the outcome of the session. The meeeting is of interest to all members of the club and to everybody in Fort Wayne and its conclusions will be awaited with something akin to impatience. The enterprise has been going well through the preliminary stages and public sentiment is aroused to a lively pitch that ought to make the project feasible. If Fort Wayne is to have an auditorium the sooner it is built the better, and as more has been accomplished already than is likely to be the case again for a long time in event the matter should now be dropped, it behooves every citizen to do what he can to keep the ball rolling. There is no question asked as to the necessity for an auditorium in Fort Wayne and none asked as to the desirability of securing it as soon as possible. There ought, therefore, to be no room to question the possibility of raising the money needed. The interest of all the people in the matter will provide the funds in a short time, and no one will be obliged to assess himself very heavily for his share.

C. R. LANE IS PRESIDENT.

Charles R. Lane was the successful candidate for president of the Tippecanoe club, winning over W. A. Rundell by a vote of 32 to 28. The election was held Wednesday evening, and other officers chosen were as follows: First vice president, W. M. Geake; second vice president, F. D. Hoham; third vice president, Dr. G. B. M. Bower; financial secretary, Henry Bandau; corresponding secretary, Will A. Rundell; treasurer, Edwin Orr; executive board, W. E. Doud, Charles Archer, Fay Randall, William T. Jefferies, L. A. Johnson; entertainment committee, Will Schoch, Guy Gilbert, Harry Ballou; house committee, H. H. Hunting, Henry Ortman, Floyd D. Golden. The retiring president, H. W. TenBroek, who had declined a re-election, delivered a brief address of thanks for honors which had been conferred upon him and spoke hopefully of the future of the Tippecanoes. Other members followed with suggestions for the coming year and at the close of the routine business a visiting professional entertained the members with an exhibition of contortion. Friday evening the club will hold its ladies' social.

MARRIED IN CHICAGO.

At high noon today, in the Cathedral of the Holy Name at Chicago, occurred the wedding of Miss Mary Hedekin, of this city, and Frank McBennett, of Chicago. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Hedekin and is a most charming young lady, well known in society circles. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McBennett, of this city, and is engaged in the lumber business in Chicago. Those from Fort Wayne who attended the wedding were Mrs. T. B. Hedekin, Miss Clara Hedekin, the groom's mother, and his sister, Miss May McBennett. Mr. and Mrs. McBennett will be at home at 357 East Ontario street, Chicago. Mrs. Hedekin and Miss Clara Hedekin left later in the day for Mexico, where they will remain indefinitely.

IOWA STATESMAN DIES.

Montezuma, Iowa, Jan. 10.—Hon. E. W. Redman, speaker of the Iowa house of 1888, died suddenly at his home in Newton today. He was a member of the Loyal Legion and served with distinction in the war of the rebellion.

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25c. at Dreier & Bros.' drug store.

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REWARD RAISED TO $1,000

KUHNS REPORTED AT CHURUBUSCO THIS WEEK.

Marvin Kuhns, who had apparently dropped out of sight for a few days, is again achieving notoriety. Reports as to his whereabouts are conflicting. Yesterday a Churubusco gentleman was in the city and stated that he had conversed with him the day before on the streets of that town, while other reports, apparently equally reliable, are to the effect that he has not been seen about his old haunts for a week or more. The latest, which is semi-official, gives rise to a well-founded belief that the Ohio officers are bestirring themselves and are trying to get him back to his old quarters at Columbus. From the following, taken from this morning's Indianapolis Journal, it appears that Sheriff Harry Bell, of Noble county, is not very anxious to take a chance with Marvin unless he is paid well for the risk. As Marvin is a good shot, has undaunted courage, and has frequently declared that he would not go back to the penitentiary alive, the sheriff is not much blamed for being in a hesitant mood. The Sentinel has nothing authentic from Mr. Kuhns' stamping ground and the following from the Indianapolis Journal is given for what it is worth:

"On last Saturday Governor Nash, of Ohio, sent to Governor Mount a requisition for the return from Noble county, Indiana, to Ohio, of the notorious criminal, Marvin Kuhns. The requisition was promptly honored by Governor Mount and the Ohio officer left at once for Noble county to serve the papers on the sheriff. The sheriff, it is understood, said he would make the attempt to arrest Kuhns. Instead of going about his work immediately, however, he wrote a letter to Governor Nash, of Ohio, in which he dwelt at length upon the desperate character of the man wanted and intimated very strongly that he thought a reward of $1,000 should be offered by the Ohio authorities for the arrest of Kuhns.

"Governor Nash consented to this and notified the Noble county sheriff that a reward of $1,000 would be paid for the safe delivery of Kuhns into the hands of the Ohio officials It seems that even after this the sheriff had some hesitancy about going ahead with the undertaking, for yesterday Governor Mount received a letter from Governor Nash, in which the latter stated that the sheriff of Noble county had so far failed to secure the arrest of Kuhns. Governor Nash had no criticism to make of Governor Mount, but on the contrary complimented him for the prompt manner in which the requisition had been honored. He did, however, complain of the lack of action on the part of the sheriff.

"It is understood that Governor Mount will this morning instruct the sheriff of Noble county to immediately undertake the arrest of Kuhns.

"It has been understood that since his escape from the Ohio penitentiary Kuhns has been living in a log cabin in the Noble county woods. Frequent reports have come from that locality to the effect that Kuhns has been brazen in his defiance of the law and its officers, and has upon several occasions attended country dances in the vicinity, as well as other rural social functions. A week as so ago it was reported that Kuhns had decided to become a benedict and was headed in the direction of this city. Since then nothing has been heard of him. It is understood that Kuhns has his log cabin well stocked with small artillery and will make it warm for any officer of the law who attempts his arrest."

A MURDERER HANGED.

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 10.—John J. Sadler, convicted of the murder of Stewart McCune on July 5, 1899, was hanged in the county court yard at 10:23 o'clock this morning. Death resulted in nine minutes from strangulation. Sadler and McCune quarreled over a keg of beer and Sadler was badly beaten. Later he procured a gun, lay in waiting for McCune and as he came out of his home shot him dead.

BIG INSURANCE SWINDLE.

New York, Jan. 10.—The Evening Journal says warrants have been issued for the arrest of four persons, who are accused of swindling the Colonial Insurance company, of Jersey City, by securing insurance on the lives of persons about to die, and by other methods. The four men for whom warrants were issued include a newspaper editor, the beneficiary under one policy; a medical examiner, an undertaker, and a prize fighter, who acted as agent for the company. The Evening Journal says:

"It is said that the Colonial Insurance company has been swindled out of large sums of money secured on bogus policies and that there has been a wholesale traffic in dead bodies between Bellevue hospital in this city and a certain undertaking establishment in Union Hall, N. J."

MAY TALK CHARTER CHANGES

POSSIBLE SUBJECT BEFORE COMMERCIAL CLUB.

Some Inclination to Discuss Metropolitan Police Law—A Busy Session Tonight.

In some quarters today there was a feeling that the question of a metropolitan police law for Fort Wayne might come up for discussion at the regular meeting of the Commercial club tonight, though there was no information as to the form or by whom the subject might be brought before the club. There is a feeling in some quarters that questions of this nature should not come before the club, though President Randall thinks a discussion of any question of interest to Fort Wayne is quite within the province of the organization.

Whether the question of charter changes is mentioned or not, it is certain the session will be a busy one. Supt. Alexander Johnson will be heard in support of the improvements contemplated at the state school and with some suggestions to the committee named to assist in securing them. The auditorium committee of twenty-five will file its report, and the stockholders of the Butler and Fort Wayne railroad will be present to ask the co-operation of the club in securing the subsidy petitioned for. The matter of early closing of retail stores is also likely to have a hearing. A smoker will be a feature of the evening and there is likely to be a large attendance.

CHANGE OF CLIMATE

Not Necessary in Order to Cure Catarrh.

The popular idea that the only cure for chronic catarrh is a change of climate, is a mistake, because catarrh is found in all climates in all sections of the country; and even if a change of climate should benefit for a time, the catarrh will certainly return.

Catarrh may be readily cured in any climate, but the only way to do it is to destroy or remove from the system the catarrhal germs which cause all the mischief.

The treatment by inhalers, sprays, powders and washes has been proven almost useless in making a permanent cure, as they do not reach the seat of disease, which is in the blood and can be reached only by an internal remedy which acts through the stomach upon the blood and system generally.

A new discovery which is meeting with remarkable success in curing catarrh of the head, throat and bronchial tubes and also catarrh of the stomach, is sold by druggists under name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets, which are pleasant and harmless to take, owe their efficiency to the active medicinal principles of Blood Root, Red Gum and a new specific called Guaiacol, which, together with valuable antiseptics, are combined in convenient, palatable tablet form, and as valuable for children as for adults.

Mr. A. R. Fernbank, of Columbus, Ohio, says: "I suffered so many winters from Catarrh that I took it as a matter of course, and that nothing would cure it except a change of climate, which my business affairs would not permit me to take.

"My nostrils were almost always clogged up, I had to breathe through the mouth, causing an inflamed, irritated throat. The thought of eating breakfast often nauseated me, and the catarrh gradually getting into my stomach took away my appetite and digestion.

"My druggist advised me to try a fifty-cent box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, because he said he had so many customers who had been cured of Catarrh by the use of these tablets that he could honestly recommend them. I took his advice and used several boxes with results that surprised and delighted me.

"I always keep a box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets in the house and the whole family use them freely on the first appearance of a cough or cold in the head.

"With our children we think there is nothing so safe and reliable as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets to ward off croup and colds and with older people I have known of cases where the hearing had been seriously impaired by chronic catarrh cured entirely by this new remedy."

G. E. Bursley is at Indianapolis.

NATIONAL COMMANDER HERE

GEN. WOOTERS ADDRESSES UNION VETERAN LEGION.

Inspection Held at Court House Assembly Room—Bad Weather Kept Attendance Down.

General William R. Wooters, of Philadelphia, national commander of the Union Veteran Legion, was in Fort Wayne Wednesday evening for his semi-annual inspection of encampment No. 51, and the veterans had arranged for a public meeting at the assembly room of the court house. Incement weather had the effect of keeping the attendance down, but the meeetng was very interesting.

Col. W. H. McClelland presided, and interspersed through the evening were songs by the Sons of Veterans' quartet, and selections upon the mandolin and guitar by Dr. Burket and Ed. Rabb. In his address General Wooters aid in part:

GEN. W. R. WOOTERS.

"The time intervening since my last visit to this generous and hospitable city is not so long that I have forgotten the honors and the kindnesses you showed me during the second week in September. To me and those who were associated with me, that week will always be a glorious memory. Never before were we so generously welcomed. I did not want to be greeted on this occasion by bonfires, parades and brass bands; I wanted to get back to Fort Wayne when the city was in its normal state and say to you that I as well as the 33,000 comrades I have the honor to represent will always remember your kindness and your hospitality.

"The glory of a people is its history, and the history of our country is the history of humanity, for our sires came from every clime where intelligence is found. Through war strife they marked the pathway of liberty. Our civilization is not an accident; it is the outcome of the effort of those in all ages who dared fight for liberty.

"The leaders of thought and those who shaped the destiny prepared the way. They were indeed men of destiny. They came out from the shadows of all ages and left memories, both mortal and mist. I need not speak of their heroism, their valiant deeds. The world has been civilized largely by those uncrowned kings. Et the glorious achievements of the fathers of the revolutionary days in no wise exhausted the patriotism of this people. In each succeeding struggle our soldiers and our sailors have sprung to the front and left history that must be enrolled in the field-book of the immortal. The unknown patriot dead in all days who fought for home and country are the voices that tell us tonight of liberty's glories.

"The sacrifice and suffering of the soldier life is familiar to you, my comrades, and to me. Our days were not all days of martial glory. There was privation, days of hard marches, of camps in the cold and the rain, of wounds, and of suffering in the prison pen. War is the fire in which the true are tested. But how sweet its triumphs; how benificent its results. Let us call the roll, for out of the past no men are more entitled to honor than those who saved the union. Their place in history is fixed; theirs is the world's greatest legacy, embalmed in song, engraved in bronze, sculptured in marble and recorded in fadeless history.

"In the more recent conflicts which have called our soldiers forth we catch tonight the lingering echoes of the voices of the long ago. We would not call one back to tell what it costs in human pain and human suffering, but we turn to its results, in the uniting of this mighty country. Our soldiers of 1861-5 stood for the holiest of obligations, and today we stand for the holiest of accomplishments. Today our solders are laying, as then, life's best endeavor upon their country's altar. The islands of the sea waited long, but ther cry was heard, and liberty shall find an abiding place in the Western Antilles and in the Islands of the Orient. These shall be the guiding stars, for the dawn of liberty to all people is breaking around the world."

Teh address was received with hearty applause, and in response to a request General Wooters described in a graphic manner from his own personal experiences the repulse of Pickett's line by the Philadelphia brigade at the battle of Gettysburg.

The commander left this morning for Indianapolis to inspect the encampment in that city. He will return to Fort Wayne in June.

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WILL BANQUET IN MARCH.

In response to the call of President H. C. Underwood, the Jeffersonian club will hold a meeting Saturday evening to make arrangements for the annual banquet and democratic love feast, which will probably be held in March. Hon. David B. Hill, of New York, will probably be invited to attend as the guest of honor and as the principal speaker of the evening, and in addition to Mr. Hill other democrats of prominence will be invited. One of the chief speakers is likely to be Hon. John W. Kern, the recent democratic candidate for governor. Mr. Kern was one of the speakers at last year's banquet and is one of the most popular orators Fort Wayne has ever heard. It is certain the coming event will be a notable one.

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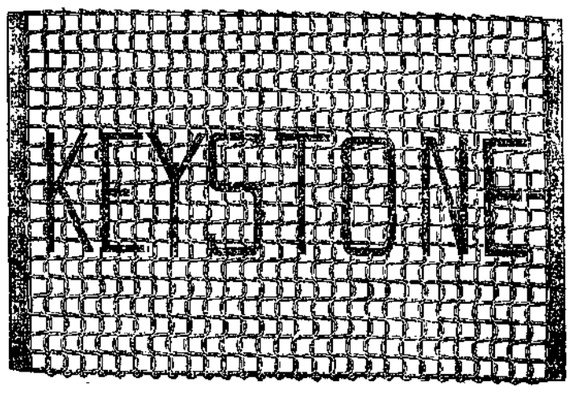

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Pittsburg & Phila.....*	7 45 pm	* 4 00 pm
Pittsburg & Phila.....*	9 30 pm	* 4 50 am
Pittsburg & Phila.....*	4 20 pm	*10 10 am
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" " "	6 50 a.m
" " "	12 30 p.m
†From Grand Rapids arrives	6 50 p.m

*Daily †Daily except Sunday

WABASH

Wabash Time Table in Effect June 3rd, 1900.

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Fast Eastern Express, daily	5 50 a.m
No. 6 New England Fast Mail daily	11 45 a.m
No. 24 Atlantic Express—daily	6 47 p.m
No. 18 Peru Accom. daily arrive	9 37 a.m

GOING WEST.

No. 19 Indianapolis Express—daily	5 50 a.m
No. 7 St. Louis Express daily—	9 37 a.m
No. 3 Government Fast Mail—daily	5 40 p.m
No. 3 St. Louis limited -daily	8 20 p.m

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No. 2 Mail and Express (except Sun.)	7 05 a.m
No. 22 Local Freight (except Sun.)	8 00 a.m
No. 6 Mixed (except Sun.)	2 00 p.m
No. 4 Robison Park Special (Sun. only)	7 00 p.m

ARRIVE.

No. 5 Mixed (except Sun.)	11 00 a.m
No. 23 Mail and Express (except Sun.)	3 10 p.m
No. 21 Local Freight (except Sun.)	5 30 p.m
No. 1 Robison Park Special (Sun. only)	10 55 a.m

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NORTHBOUND	DEPART
No. 463 Local Freight	7 20 a.m
No. 437 Express and Mail	11 55 a.m
No. 439 Express and Mail	5 00 p.m
SOUTHBOUND	**ARRIVE**
No. 456 Express and Mail	11 25 a.m
No. 410 Express and Mail	3 50 p.m
No. 462 Local Freight	2 50 p m

A. W. CRASPER, Ticket Agt.

L. E. & W. RY. TIME TABLE—

SOUTH.

No. 41 Except Sunday	7:00 a.m
No. 43 Except Sunday	4:15 p.m
No. 43 Sunday Only	4:15 p.m
No. 173 Local Freight	5:00 a.m

NORTH.

No. 40 Except Sunday	11:40 a.m
No. 40 Sunday Only	11:49 a.m
No. 42 Except Sunday	10:25 p.m
No. 144 Local Freight	4:40 p.m

C. F. Daly, G. P. A. Indianapolis. O. W. Crapser, Ticket Agt.

OFFICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne met in the Council Chamber Tuesday evening, January 8, A. D., 1901, in regular session, His Honor, Mayor Scherer, in the chair, and H. B. Monning, Clerk, at the desk, and present the following members, 12, viz.:

Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Absent, 3, viz.: Councilmen Borkenstein, Eckert, Gerding, Haag, Hosey, Miller, Scheid and Schubler.

The minutes of the last regular session having been delivered to the councilmen were, on motion, approved as published.

MAYOR'S COMMUNICATION.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,)
CITY HALL,)
FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 15, 1900.)

To the Members of the Common Council.

Gentlemen: I have approved the following ordinances passed at your session of December 11th and 13th, 1900:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 174.

An ordinance appropriating $1,180 to police force pay roll.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 166.

An ordinance confirming and approving a certain agreement and contract made and entered into this 27th day of November, 1900, by and between the city of Fort Wayne, through its board of public works, and George Townsend, William S. Read and Charles G. Miller.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY P. SCHERER,
Mayor.

Received and filed.

COMPTROLLER'S COMMUNICATION.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: I have been informed by the city treasurer that applications have been made to him for re-payment of street assessments under the acts of 1899 amounting to $3,000.

These assessments will be paid next April when there is no chance of purchasing street improvement bonds to carry against the amounts paid as directed by law and I think some steps should be taken now to authorize me to carry sufficient bonds to enable me to invest them against the pre-payment next spring.

This city now after the December settlement will have in the electric light construction fund $14 000, money which in all probability will not be used within the next year or two and this amount should bear interest. I think it would be wise if the city would invest this money in absolute reliable security at 5 per cent., and as no more reliable security can be given than the city's own bonds I would suggest that the council and the finance committee consider the advisability of carrying first-class improvement bonds against such an account. This would bring interest on the money and enable me also from time to time to cover pre-paid street improvements by reimbursing this fund as the occasion may require. If the sinking fund now on hand amounting to about $13,000, for which there will be no need within the next four years, would be invested in a similar way legally this might also be considered and reported on at the same time.

Respectfully yours,
HENRY C. BERCHOFF,
Comptroller.

Referred to committee on Finance and city attorney.

COMMUNICATION OF CITY ATTORNEY AND COMPTROLLER.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 27, 1900.

To the Comptroller.

You are hereby requested to recommend the appropriation of $83.30 to pay the judgment and costs in the case of "Emma Shefferly vs. the City of Fort Wayne." Judgment in favor of "Emma Shefferly," $75.00, court costs, $8.30.

W. H. SHAMBAUGH,
City Attorney.

I recommend that the above appropriation be allowed.

HENRY C. BERCHOFF,
Comptroller.

Approved.

COMMUNICATION OF CITY ATTORNEY AND COMPTROLLER.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 3, 1901.

To H. C. Berchoff, Comptroller.

Dear Sir: Please arrange for an appropriation of $42.50 to pay claim of Louis Hagerfelt; also for an appropriation of $35.00 to pay claim of Chas. Beahm.

Respectfully,
W. H. SHAMBAUGH,
City Attorney.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

I hereby request that the above appropriation be made.

Respectfully,
HENRY C. BERCHOFF,
Comptroller.

Approved.

COMMUNICATION.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 3, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: As required by the law, the undersigned canvassed the ballot of an election held Tuesday, January 1, 1901, by the members of the fire department for the selection of a trustee for the next four years for the firemen's pension fund.

William Brandt received the highest number of votes and was declared elected. The result of the ballot was:

William Brandt	16
S. Boerger	4
Theo. Klep	7
Gus. Hilgeman	12
John Stahlhut	7
Adam Haag	12

Respectfully,
HENRY P. SCHERER,
Mayor.
HENRY HILBRECHT,
Chief Fire Force.
HENRY B. MONNING,
City Clerk.

Received and spread upon record.

PETITION.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Owing to inferior workmanship, and carelessness of incompetent persons in the placing of electrical wires and apparatus in the city of Fort Wayne, thereby endangering the life, limb and property of our citizens by fire and otherwise; and, as the cities of Anderson, Evansville, Elkhart, Greencastle, Kokomo, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Marion, South Bend, Terre Haute and Vincennes, Indiana, are now working successfully under a similar ordinance, adopted by their several councils, we, the undersigned, respectfully petition your honorable body to adopt the ordinance presented for the creating of the office of city electrical inspector.

Respectfully submitted,
Electrical Workers' Union, No. 136.
H. C. ECKLES,
President.
H. E. WRUELAND,
Recording Secretary.
C. F. BAKER,
President T. and L. C.
J. J. E. MILLER,
Secretary T. and L. C.

Introduced by John J. Bauer.

Received and spread upon record.

REPORT OF WATER WORKS TRUSTEES

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen—Following is the report of the financial operations of the water works department for the month of December, 1900.

RECEIPTS.

Water rent	$1,434 54
Meter rent	80
Special revenue	14 15
Meters	70 00
Meter repairs	11 75
Valves	4 00
Hydrants	2 60
Services	96 58
Total revenue	$1,666 58
Am't on hand as per last report	283 43
Total cash for the month	$1,966 01
Deposited with treasurer	$1,949 75
Rebate	4 74
	$1,954 49
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1901	$ 10 52

DISBURSEMENTS.

City treas.' fund as per last report	$4,136 17
Deposited during month	1,949 75
Total water works fund	$6,087 92
Orders drawn on account of:	
Pumping service Sta. 1	$1,446 42
Pumping service Sta. 2	1,111 53
Officers salaries	833 31
Office expense	40 15
Trustees' salaries	124 98
Street repairs	12 75
Implements	3 03
Services	669 66
Valves	1 96
Hydrants	236 13
Pipes	826 26
Pipe laying	14 50
Reservoir	102 32
Spy Run wells	734 95
Interest on bonded debt	420 00
Engines & boilers Sta. 1	113 57
Engines & boilers Sta. 2	140 75
Meters	17 54
Meter repairs	67 68
Hydrant repairs	5 22
Compressed air test	194 78
Stable	58 45
Suction pipe No. 2	134 48
	$7,390 31
To balance	$1,302 39

Respectfully submitted,
WM. TAGTMEYER,
WM. KAOUGH,
P. J. SINGLETON,
Trustees Water Works.

Referred to committee on water works.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: As treasurer of the board of school trustees, I herewith submit my report of the school funds from Aug. 1, 1900 to Jan. 1, 1901.

TUITION FUND.

August 1, 1900—	
Balance on hand	$23,957 73
Expended for tuition	33,514 54
Jan. 1, 1901, Bal. on hand	$10,443 25

SPECIAL SCHOOL FUND.

August 1, 1900—	
Balance on hand	$33,881 56
From mis. sources	130 00
	$34,011 56
Expended for salaries of sup't., clerk, janitors and bills allowed	27,398 79
Jan. 1, 1901, Bal. on hand	$ 6,612 77

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

August 1, 1900—	
Balance on hand	$ 4,855 86
To cash received from fines, rent, etc	133 45
	$ 4,489 31
Overdrawn	462 21
	$ 4,951 52
Expended for library purposes	4,951 52
January 1, 1901—	
Total balance on hand	$23,056 02

The overdraft in the library fund was caused by the payment of one of the notes given for the purchase of the library property, which note, amounting to $1,933 33, fell due July 27, 1900, and which with the interest on that and the remaining note, amounting to $216, had to be paid entirely from the library fund, as the retiring treasurer had failed to provide for the payment of said note, or any part thereof, from the interest on school funds in his hands, as he had been expected to do.

Respectfully submitted,
The Board of School Trustees,
By W. W. ROCKHILL,
Treasurer.

Referred to committee on education.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: Your committee on finance to which was referred the report of the city attorney in relation to the judgment in favor of Emma Shefferly vs. the City of Fort Wayne, hereby submits its report: The committee is of the opinion that the recommendations of the city attorney in the matter should be approved.

SYLVESTER, M'MAHON,
Chairman.
B. BORKENSTEIN,
P. J. SCHEID,
Committe on Finance.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF WATER WORKS COMMITTEE.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 4, 1900.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: We, your committee on water works, to whom was referred the report of the water works trustees for the month of November, 1900, respectfully report that we have examined the same and find it correct.

P. J. SCHEID,
B. BORKENSTEIN,
JOHN J. BAUER,
Committee on Water Works.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 7, 1901.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: Your committee on claims, to which was referred claims against the city, report as follows:

On the claim of Louis Hagerfelt, the committee finds that the street was out of repair as set out in petition; that the condition was partly the fault of the contractor, Charles Moellering, and partly the fault of the city. In view of the facts it was thought best to compromise the claim. The guarantor of the contractor will pay one half of the claim, and the city will pay the other half. It can be settled for $85.00, making the city's share $42.50.

We recommend that said amount be paid him.

On the claim of Charles Beahm, who slipped and fell on Gay street, upon investigation of the facts we find that the sidewalk was slightly out of repair and that claimant was injured in consequence of it. We recommend the payment of $35.00, which claimant will accept and release city of any further liability.

P. J. SCHEID,
WM. J. LENNART,
EDW. J. EHRMAN,
Committee on Claims.

W. H. SHAMBAUGH,
City Attorney.

Concurred in.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 175.

An ordinance appropriating $35.00 to miscellaneous claim account.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that thirty-five dollars ($35.00) be hereby appropriated to miscellaneous claim account to pay claim of Chas. Beahm.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

SYLVESTER M'MAHON.

The ordinance was read the first time in full; upon motion the ordinance was read the second time by its title; upon motion the rules were suspended by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 176.

An ordinance appropriating $42.50 to miscellaneous claim account.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that forty-two dollars and fifty ($42.50) cents be hereby appropriated to miscellaneous claim account to pay claim of Louis Hagerfelt.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

SYLVESTER M'MAHON.

The ordinance was read the first time in full; upon motion the ordinance was read the second time by its title; upon motion the rules were suspended by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. ———.

An ordinance to create the office of electrical inspector, to define the duties of such officer, and to establish rules and regulations concerning electrical wiring and appliances.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana that the office of city electrical inspector is hereby created, and there shall be appointed by the mayor, and confirmed by the council one person, skilled in the science of electricity, to be styled "Electrical Inspector," who shall hold office for one year and until a successor is appointed and qualified. Said electrical inspector shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council, and shall receive such compensation for his services as the said council may determine. Said officer shall give bond, to the approval of the mayor, in the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00), said bond to be conditional according to law.

Sec. 2. Said electrical inspector shall have general supervision over, and is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to regulate and determine the placing, stringing and attaching of all telegraph, telephone, or electric light and power, or other wires in said city, so as to prevent fires or accidents or injury to persons or property, and to cause all such wires and all electrical appliances to be so placed, constructed and guarded as not to cause fires or accidents, or endanger life or property; and whenever, in the judgment of said electrical inspector any electric wire shall be defective, by reason of improper or insufficient insulation, or for any other cause, the said electrical inspector shall at once notify the owner thereof of such defect and order him to repair or remove the same, and upon the owner's failure or refusal so to do within a reasonable time, the said electrical inspector shall cause the repair or removal of the same, and the expense thereof may be recovered by the city in an action against the person firm or corporation owning such wires.

Sec. 3. The electrical inspector shall make a thorough inspection of all electrical wires and appliances within the city of Fort Wayne at least twice in each year, and where wires or appliances are in a dangerous or unsafe condition, he shall notify the person, firm or corporation owning, using or operating them, to place them in safe and secure condition. Any person, firm, or corporation failing or refusing to have such work performed within ten days after the receipt of such notice, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the electrical inspector to so direct the placing, stringing and attaching of wires upon poles erected in the streets and alleys of said city that the same shall cause as little obstruction, either to travel in the streets, or to the use and enjoyment of private property as possible.

Sec. 5. The said electrical inspector, or any other competent person or persons, delegated by him, shall have the right, during reasonable hours, to enter any building man-hole, or subway in the discharge of his official duties, or for the purpose of making any test of the electrical apparatus or appliances therein contained, and for that purpose he shall be given prompt access to all buildings, private or public, and to all man holes and subways on application to the company or individual owning or in charge or control of the same.

Sec. 6. The said electrical inspector shall have the power to cause the removal of all wires or the turning off of all electrical currents where the circuits interfere with the work of the fire department.

Sec. 7. No alteration or change shall be made in the wiring of any building, nor shall any building be wired for the placing of electrical lights, motors, or heating devices, without first securing from the said electrical inspector a permit therefor. The sum of fifty cents ($.50) shall be charged for each permit so issued by said inspector.

Upon completion of the wiring of any building, it shall be the duty of the company, firm, or individual doing the same, to notify the said electrical inspector, who shall at once inspect the same, and if approved by him issue a certificate of satisfactory inspection, which shall contain the date of inspection and an outline of the result of such examination, but no such certificate shall be issued unless all apparatus, wires, etc., connected therewith are in strict conformity with the rules and regulations herein set forth; nor shall any current be turned on until such certificate is issued.

Sec. 8. The said electrical inspector shall keep a full and complete daily record of all work done, permits issued, examinations made or other official work performed, as required by this ordinance, and shall annually make a full and detailed report thereof to the city council.

Sec. 9. Any person, firm, or company violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or failing, neglecting, or refusing to comply with the rules and provisions of this ordinance, or failing, neglecting, or refusing to comply with any order or request of the said electrical inspector covered by this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this ordinance, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five dollars, nor more than fifty dollars, and the costs of prosecution.

Sec. 10. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval by the mayor and legal publication.

JOHN J. BAUER.

Referred to committee on rules, regulations and ordinances and city attorney.

Upon motion the council then adjourned.

A SIMPLE COLD CURE.

Krause's Cold Cure, in capsule form, is easy to take and does not affect the head or hearing like quinine. Try it today. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

BIG FUND FOR ORPHANS' HOME

NET PROCEEDS OF CHARITY BALL WERE $902.76.

Board of Lady Managers Makes Report of Recent Social Function and Expresses Thanks.

More than $900 were the net proceeds of the recent charity ball given at the Wayne club, and this handsome sum goes to the Allen County Orphans' home. The board of lady managers has made to the president and board of directors of the institution the following report:

To the President and Board of Directors of the Allen County Orphans' Home:

The lady members of this board, to whom was assigned the work of arranging for a ball for the benefit of the home, beg to report the result of the ball as follows:

RECEIPTS.

332 double tickets at $3.00 each	$ 996 00
9 ladies' extra tickets $1.50 each	13 50
Donations	68 00
Total receipts	$1,077 50

DISBURSEMENTS.

Books and postage	$ 17 97
Playing cards	2 25
Rent of ball room	15 00
Supper	80 00
Music	31 00
Programs	6 00
Help	7 25
Material for lunch	5 60
Decorations	8 47
Rent of glassware	1 20
Total disbursements	$174 74
Balance on hand	902 76
	$1,077 50

Respectfully submitted,
MARGARET H. FOSTER,
Chairman.

EXPRESS THEIR THANKS.

The ladies have also passed resolutions setting forth that the notable success of the ball was made possible by the cordial and hearty support of many persons not directly identified with the management of the home, and expressing the thanks of the board for this assistance. Due acknowledgment is also made of the generous encouragement and word of appreciation that accompanied the payment for tickets; of the services of the various committees, particularly to the young ladies of the decorating committee; to the press for advertising the ball and to individual donors who contributed to the cause. The resolutions are signed by Mrs. S. M. Foster, Mrs. C. S. Bash, Mrs. Louis Diether, Mrs. M. B. Fisher, Mrs. J. M. Kuhns, Mrs. S. J. Laubach, Mrs. J. C. Peters and Mrs. J. C. Woodworth.

A DEEP MYSTERY.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Iowa, "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c. at Dreier & Bros.' drug store.

EARY CLOSING.

Editor The Sentinel—The age of advancement demands that this city assume a more metropolitan air. Diligent research and inquiry assures us that the smaller cities throughout the country have universally adopted the early closing movement and the larger cities have deemed it advisable to close at noon on Saturdays, thus giving the employes a half holiday. We do not presume that any one here would advocate so decided and radical a change from the conditions now prevailing, but it certainly seems reasonble that many of our business men might be induced to close at 6 o'clock for the greater portion of the year. The Trades and Labor Council and various clerks' unions have been actively and energetically engaged recently in an effort of this kind and we are led to believe that a thing so beneficial as this should receive the hearty support of the Commercial club. Any effort to induce factories to locate here, increase the wealth and population of our city is commendable, but a slight effort tending towards the betterment of the condition of the laboring people already here is quite as important and fully merits our careful consideration. Statistics show that all the work of the world could be accomplished in two hours and thirty minutes each day, if every man, woman and child above the age of 16 would perform his share, and this being a fact it is not making too broad an assertion to say that the merchandise of this city could be bought and sold in ten hours each for five days of the week, and keeping open until 11 or 12 o'clock on Saturday evenings. The argument that many advance that the time is not long enough for all to make their purchases might be met with another one equally as plausible, and that is: "If one is too busy to buy the necessities and luxuries of life in that time, they are too busy to enjoy them, therefore they be just as well off without either." To begin with, we believe that the thanks of this organization should be extended to all the merchants who have been liberal and broad-minded enough to start this movement, knowing as they well did, that many of their competitors did not join them and make the custom a universal one. The people employed in stores that keep open in the evening, receive no extra pay for the longer hours, but they are robbed of not less than ten hours each week, 520 hours each year, or almost two months of extra labor, not taking into consideration the time that is lost that might be profitably used for a higher education or amusement. Every charitable entertainment and legitimate place of amusement is annually the loser to an amount that can not be estimated, while every home is denied the pleasure of family gathering. No man or woman can be induced to furnish a home for comfort, elegance or ease when the greater portion of the time spent there is in bed, which is a natural result and consequence when one is compelled to devote the evening to business. After a careful canvass of the advantages and disadvantages to be derived by all we come to the conclusion that the electric light and gas companies would be the only losers, but believe that the brighter lights in more homes and in the attractive windows of many merchants would more than counterbalance the loss occasioned by darkened stores. According to the city directory of 1900, we have in Fort Wayne twenty-six retail dealers in boots and shoes, and all but three or four of these close at 6 o'clock with the exception of Saturdays and pay days. Of the five dealers in carpets and oil cloths all close early. Twelve clothing merchants transact business here, and there are but three or four that keep open late. We have also nineteen retail dry goods stores, three fish and game, nine florists, ten fruit retailers, eleven furniture dealers, ten gas fitters, four wholesale grocers, 147 retail grocers, two hair dressers, five wholesale hardware, ten retail hardware, seven hats and caps, four house furnishing stores, four installment goods, forty insurance agents, eight launderies, five wholesale meats, fifty-nine retail meats, twelve men's furnishings, thirty-seven merchant tailors, twenty-five milliners, fourteen retail notions, nine photographers, seven second-hand goods, eight piano and organs, four picture frames, two queensware, ten saddle and harness, five sewing machines, ten wall paper, fourteen jewelers, and many others too numerous to mention are given, and of this number, probably 75 per cent, have already joined the early closing movement. There are certain lines of business, such as jewelry and toys, that find it absolutely necessary to keep open during the month of December. The closing of stores at 6 o'clock refers only to the closing of the retail or wholesale stores for the sale of merchandise and is not intended to conflict with the labor which necessarily must be done by many establishments whose manufacturing interests are at stake.

Ora Seaney,
Man Milliner.

THOUSANDS SENT INTO EXILE.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at Dreier & Bros. Price 50c. and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

NEW CLUB ORGANIZED.

At the home of Mrs. J. R. Medsker, on Ewing street, Wednesday afternoon a company of ladies met and organized a new social club, to be known as the New Century club, with seven charter members. Mrs Ida Davis is president and Mrs. Carrie Stevens secretary.

OLD FASHIONED COLD CURES

Are going out of date. The busy man of today cannot afford to lie abed a whole day and undergo the martyrdom of the sweating process. Krause's Cold Cure are capsules of convenient size, and can be taken without danger while performing your usual duties. They cure in twenty-four hours. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

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Miss Dora Furney, of 64 Barr street, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills and Doan's Ointment and I can highly recommend them both. When I got the pills at Meyer & Co.'s drug store I was suffering from severe backache and other symptoms of disordered kidneys, but under the treatment the ailments disappeared. Doan's Ointment I found superior to anything else I ever tried. For an eruption of the skin, which nothing I ever used seemed to benefit, Doan's Ointment in a short time completely cured."

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WINTER TOURIST

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WORK OF HEROES

LIFE LINE CARRIED TO THE STEAMER RUSSIE.

FISHERMEN BREAST WAVES

BATTLE VALIANTLY WITH AN ANGRY SEA.

HOPE FOR THE SHIPWRECKED

FOOD SENT ABOARD TO THE FAMISHING SOULS.

Marseilles, Jan. 10.—6:30 p. m.—The life line connected with the Russie still holds good in spite of the tremendous seas running, but it has not yet been possible to take off the passengers. An attempt was about to be made to rescue them when the last dispatch from Faraman was received.

The attachment of the line was due to the heroic effort of twenty fishermen, who attempted what appeared to be a foolhardy task. Their flat bottomed craft was tossed about like a straw on the waves. The spectators watched it with bated breath. Several times they thought the small craft was lost, but it finally got into a current, which carried the boat to the starboard side of the Russie's bow. A line was then thrown on board the wreck.

The captain of the Russie, standing on the bridge, shouted: "We have not lost heart and have confidence in you, but be quick."

A moment later, amid great excitement among the spectators ashore, the line was seen to part. The fishermen made another effort and again got the line on board the stranded vessel. They then returned to the beach, where hundreds of willing hands pulled their boat high and dry, when a scene of enthusiasm ensued.

The fishermen were carried in the arms of the people out of reach of the waves.

Later the line again parted, causing much anxiety, as the sea was becoming rougher. Then, the same fishermen made another attempt to reach the Russie in their flat bottomed boat. On the first attempt they were capsized into the surf and the men were thrown back on the strang. They made a fresh effort, with a few newcomers aiding, and the same boat's crew again succeeded in getting a line on board the Russie. This time its security was enhanced by the line being attached to several rafts between the wreck and the shore.

FOOD SENT TO WRECK.

Marseilles, Jan. 10.—A message from Faraman at 9 o'clock this morning says that in spite of the heavy sea still running a lifeboat succeeded in reaching the French steamer Russie (from Oran, which stranded Monday on the coast near the village of Faraman during a violent storm) at 8 a. m. and attached the line to her, by which food can be furnished to the passengers and crew, who had been cooped up in the forecastle since Monday evening, when the vessel stranded, and were famishing. There are sanguine hopes that the rescue of the endangered persons is possible now that communisation with the Russie is established.

Faraman, Bouches-DuIRhone, Jan. 10.—Dawn found the situation of the stranded steamer Russie unchanged. The wind blew with terrific violence all night long, but the rain has ceased. On the bridge and forecastle of the steamer some of the crew and passengers can be plainly seen. The first signal this morning said:

"'Hasten or we die of hunger."

A few minutes later the following message was signalled:

"We are constructing a raft which we will try to launch with a sail."

DIED IN A STREET CAR.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 10.—Major Nat Burbank, of the Picayune, widely known as a dramatic critic and as the author of the humorous column of that paper, died suddenly in a street car today. He came here with the northern army during the civil war and has been associated with the Picayune for many years.

DAVID GRAHAM ADEE DEAD.

Washington, Jan. 10.—David Graham Adee, brother of Assistant Secretary of State Alva Augustus Adee and well known as an author, died at 5 o'clock this morning. He had been an invalid for many years, but it was not until the last few days that his ailments assumed a threatening aspect. The deceased was of old Scotch lineage on both the father's and the mother's sides, his maternal grandfather being the eminent New York barrister, David Graham, and his ancestry tracing back to the Graham clan of Fifeshire in the Montrose and Claverhouse lines. On the paternal side, the name was originally spelled Adie, the family belonging to the old Scotch covenanters' line. His father, Augustus A. Adee, who died in 1841, was at the time of his death a fleet surgeon of eminence in the United States navy. During his late years of invalidism, Mr. Adee devoted much of his leisure to literary prose and verse work, and published several novels, among them "No. 19 State Street." Assistant Secretary Adee was a most devoted brother, the ties between the two being unusually close, so that the separation is a keen affliction to the surviving brother, and is one in which he had the sympathy of a large circle of officials and other friends. The deceased is survived by a wife and three children. The remains will be temporarily interred in Washington.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph W. Wilson and Emma I. Coyle.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Charles Hanker entertained a number of ladies at a dinner today.

Phil Lintlag, who was taken down with an attack of grip yesterday, is today reported quite seriously ill.

Misses Nora Kress, Essie Wright and Carrie Scharff entertained a number of their friends at a taffy-pulling last evening at the home of Miss Scharff, on West DeWald street

A RACE WAR IS IMMINENT

BLOODSHED IS EXPECTED IN WARWICK COUNTY.

Armed Men Patrol the Streets of Newburg and Threaten to Drive Out Blacks.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 10.—The white men and negroes at Newburg, a small town east of here, are armed and a race is war is expected to break out at any time. For some tme past the blacks of the town have conducted themselves in a manner which has incensed the white population, and the better citizens have warned the negroes that they must leave the place. In the last issue of the Tribune, a paper published by Oscar Martin, a war of extermination of the blacks was urged. The article stirred the people up to fever heat, and the trouble has been imminent for several days. It broke out yesterday, aud at this writing it looks like the trouble might result in bloodshed. At 1 o'clock an attack was made on the house in the northern part of the town occupied by James Crow, a notorious negro, who has been living for the past year with a white woman.

NEGROES BARRICADE HOUSE.

Crow had been warned of the attack and had about twenty negroes on the inside of the house heavily armed. About fifty white men and several boys were in the attaking party and they carried guns and revolvers. In all about six shots were fired and the strange part about of is no one was hurt.

One of the white men walked up to the house and, throwing a coal oil can into the back porch, set it on fire. It was expected this would drive the blacks from their quarters, but it failed.

Crow walked out on the porch mid a hail of bullets, and extinguished the fire and escaped injury. The leader of the mob gave it out that the men did not desire to kill Crow.

The negroes are greatly worked up and declare they will not leave the town. A newspaper repesentative was at Newburg late last night and was told by one of the leading citizens that in case the blacks refused to leave it would be impossible to avoid bloodshed.

ARMED MEN PATROL STREETS.

Men are walking the streets armed with all sorts of fire arms. The leader of the negoes is a man of determination and it is said has been in race wars before.

Since the lynching of negroes at Rockport and Boonville recently there has been intense feeling against the blacks in all the river towns.

APPEAL TO THE SHERIFF.

Sheriff Hudson, of Warrick county, has been appealed to, but thus far has taken no hand in the trouble. There are about three hundred blacks in Newburg and the town marshal has had trouble with them for years. Newburg is one of the oldest towns in the state and at one time was the best shipping point between Cincinnati and New Orleans. There are many southern people residing in the town.

WILL LECTURE TONIGHT.

At Westminster church this evening Rev. Ketrow, of this city, will give a talk on the "Growth and Development of the Presbyterian Church During the Past Century."

LOCAL LINES.

The L. C. B. A. club will give a dance on Friday evening, Jan. 18.

The Union and Literary club will give a French ball in Randall hall on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 12.

The Do and Don't club will give a dance in Randall hall on Friday evening, Jan. 11.

A special nurse from Hope hospital has been engaged by the Visiting Nurse League to look after Mrs. France and her four small children, who live a short distance west of the Taylor street bridge. The four children are ill with diphtheria and the mother is too weak to nurse them. As the bank account of the league is rather slim, it is hoped that contributions will be made to meet the emergency. Persons desiring to assist are referred to Dr. Carrithers Calvin secretary of the league.

Don't forget to order White Loaf Flour. 10t10

DEATH ENDS LONG ILLNESS

FRANTZ HOHMANN EXPIRED THIS MORNING.

Was a Well Known German Citizen—Resident of Fort Wayne Since 1885—Mortuary Matters.

Frantz Hohmann, a well known German citizen, died at 6 o'clock this morning at his home, 175 High street, after a protracted illness from Bright's disease.

Mr. Hohmann was a native of Germany and had reached the age of seventy years, six months and seven days. While a young man he served in the Hessian army and came to America in 1864. He resided in New York until 1885, when he removed to Fort Wayne. His wife died some years ago and the surviving children are Mrs. Mary Schneider, August Hohmann, Mrs. Theresa Gross, Henry Hohmann and the Misses Elizabeth, Josephine and Catherine Hohmann.

Funeral services will be held from the residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Samuel Wagenhals. The interment will be at Lindenwood.

TEGTMEYER.

Mrs. Ernest Tegtmeyer died at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon at her home, 77 Douglas avenue, from heart and lung trouble, after an illness of about three months.

Mrs. Tegtmeyer was about sixty years of age, and nearly her entire life has been spent in this city. She was a most estimable lady, and a devoted member of the English Lutheran church.

Surviving are the husband and four children—Ernest Tegtmeyer, jr., Arthur Tegtmeyer and the Misses Mary and Edith Tegtmeyer. Mrs. John Wagner, of Butler street, is a sister. The funeral announcement will be made later.

THE CHARTER AMENDMENTS.

Editor of The Sentinel—The partican interests which are opposing the making of the police and fire departments non-partisan, because the change will break down the local democratic Tammany of this city, base their entire argument on the alleged violation of the home rule theory. Apart from the fact that the police power is a function of the state, as shown by the form of all affidavits, to-wit: "State of Indiana vs. John Doe," is it a violation of home rule to place the control of the police and fire departments in the hands of three citizens of Fort Wayne who shall have lived here three years or more, and one of whom shall be a democrat?

Is it a violation of home rule to provide that the judge of the municipal court, although appointed by the governor, shall be a member of the Allen county bar, a lawyer in good standing and under bond for faithful performance of duty?

Is it a violation of home rule to provide such changes in the city government as will effect a net saving in official salaries to the taxpayers of Fort Wayne of at least $1,500 a year?

As to the charge of injustice to the people: Is it any injustice to give each of the leading parties one-half the policemen and one-half of the firemen, when the minority party pays one-half of the taxes? Who is injured by the change except the city ring and its favorites, who keep a full Nelson hold on the offices?

What objection can there be to giving Fort Wayne a non-partisan police and fire department at a largely reduced cost, except in the minds of the political managers who are direct beneficiaries, and the gamblers and saloon keepers? No republican has ever criticized the present city administration with half the sternness of both the democratic organs, which have practically charged collusion with gamblers at its doors.

Why is the local saloon keepers' organization contributing $1,000 to Mayor Scherer's $2,000 fund to pay the expenses of a practiced lobyist at Indianapolis. This shows who is pinched and that the people's interest is not adversely affected by the proposed amendments.

Another Citizen.

GARRETT TO RETIRE.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—John B. Garrett announced today that he willretire on Tuesday next from the vice presidency of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company. This decision was communicated to President Walter in November last and he has remained in office since that time at Mr. Walter's request. Mr. Garrett's decision was known only by a few personal friends. He with draws from railroad life and will devote his time to educational and philanthropic work. The directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company held a special meeting this afternoon.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Wheat was firm early today on the unexpected steadines of the Liverpool market. May opened ½@¾c higher, at 78¼@78⅜c, reacted to 77⅞c on profit taking, and then rallied to 78⅜c. Chicago receipts were 74 cars, 3 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 265 cars, against 168 last week and 411 a year ago.

May corn opened ¼@⅜c to ⅝@½c higher, at 39@39⅛c, in sympathy with wheat, and on the unfavorable weather, but reacted to 38⅞c. Receipts were 343 cars.

Oats sympathized with wheat and corn. May opened a shade to ⅛c higher, at 25¼c to 25⅛@25⅜c, touched 25⅜c, and reacted to 25¼c. Receipts were 248 cars.

Provisions opened firm in sympathy with a higher hog market. May pork opened 10c higher, at $14.30, touched $14.15, and rallied to $14.22½. May lard opened 5@7½c up, at $7.55, declined to $7.50@7.52½, and rallied to $7.57½. May ribs started 2½c up, at $7.22½.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Jan., 74⅝c; Feb., 75⅝c; May, 77½@77⅝c.

Corn—Jan., 36⅝c; Feb., 37¼c; May, 38⅝c.

Oats—Jan., 23⅝c; May, 25⅛c.

Pork—Jan., $14.40; May, $14.00.

Lard—Jan., $7.30; Feb., $7.32½; March, $7.35; May, $7.42½@7.45.

Ribs—Jan., $7.02½; May, $7.12½.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.63; No. 1, $1.63; May, $1.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Cattle—Rereceipts, 8,000, including 200 Texans; steers strong, 15c higher; butchers stock steady; Texans 10c higher. Good to prime steers, $5.35@6.15; poor to medium, $3.05@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.40; cows, $2.60@4.15; heifers, $2.65@4.40; canners, $2.00@2.50; bulls, $2.50@4.40; calves, $4.00@6.25; Texas fed steers, $4.15@4.50; Texas grass steers, $3.35@4.00; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 33,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 3,264; market opened 10c higher, closing with advance lost; top, $5.45. Mixed and butchers, $5.10@5.40; good to choice heavy, $5.15@5.50; rough heavy, $5.05@5.15; light, $5.10@5.37½; bulk of sales, $5.25@5.35.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Jan. 10.—The market showed many points of strength at the opening, but there were no sensational advances. Texas and Pacific, Delaware and Hudson, Western Union and Manhattan rose 1½ each, and Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and People's Gas about a point. But a violent break of four points in St. Paul unsettled the list. Pennsylvania and Rubber preferred were off 2 points and Missouri Pacific and Northern Pacific about a point each. The tone of the market became highly irregular under these conflicting influences, but there was no great excitement in the trading.

The bears made a general demonstration against the market and forced many prominent stocks down a point or more. Erie second preferred fell 2¾ and no effective resistance was encountered anywhere for a time. Sugar was then rushed up to 139¼ and People's Gas and Erie first preferred received support. The market, while sympathizing with St. Paul, did not hold well, renewed offerings appearing at the rise. Just before 11 o'clock Missouri Pacific was lifted to 87.

The bears were more agressive in the second hour and were helped in depressing values by the timidity of holders of long stock. Successively lower levels brought increasing amounts of stocks, stop loss orders being closed out. Declines of 2 points were common and the extreme was 5¾ in St. Paul. Rubber preferred was off 4, Delaware and Hudson 3¼, Great Northern preferred 3¼ and Northern Pacific 3 points. Missouri Pacific broke below 85. It rallied again 1¾, and St. Paul 1¾, with a steadying effect on the market. Bonds were irregular and quiet.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Jan. 10.—Butter—Receipts, 5,316 pkgs.; market barely steady.

Cheese—Receipts, 1,287 pkgs.; market firm.

Eggs—Receipts, 7,605 pkgs.; market steady at the decline; western average packed at mark, 20@22½c; western, loss off, 23c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, firm.

Coffee—Easy; No. 7 Rio, 7⅜c, nominal.

Molasses—Firm, but quiet.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 10.—Money on call easier, at 3½ per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent.; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87@4.87¼ for demand, and at $4.83½@4.83¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.83½@4.84 and $4.87½@4.88; commercial bills, $4.82¼@4.82¾; silver certificates, 64½@65½c; bar silver, 63¼c; Mexican dollars, 49⅞c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Jan. 10.—Government bonds steady:

U. S. Ref. 2's, registered	105¼
U. S. Ref. 2's, coupon	105½
U. S. 3's, registered	109¼
U. S. 3's, coupon	110
U. S. 4's, registered (new)	137½
U. S. 4's coupon (new)	137½
U. S. 4's, registered (old)	114
U. S. 4's coupon (old)	114
U. S. 5's, registered	112
U. S. 5's, coupon	112

FORT WAYNE MARKETS.

(Corrected Weekly by S. Bash & Co.)

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 10.—Flour—Spring wheat, $4.40@4.80; winter per bll, $3.75@4.25; second class, $3.00@3.25; Graham, per sack, 30c.

Wheat—76c.
Corn—33c bu.
Oats—23c bu.
Rye—50c.
Timothy Seed—$1.80 bu.
Cloverseed, $5 per bu.
Barley—38@40c.
Oil Meal—$1.40.
Flax Seed—$1.25.
Hides—Green, 7½c; salted, 8½c.
Calf Hides—Green, 9c.
Calf Hides—Salted, 10c.
Tallow—4@4¼c.
Potatoes—35@40c.
Beeswax—25@26c.
Feathers—Live geese, 40c.
Bran—Ton, $15.00.
Shorts—$15.00.
Middlings—Ton, $16.00.
Pork—On foot, $4.85@4.90.

CITY HAY MARKET.

Timothy—$10@$11.
Clover—$7.50@9.00.
Mixed—$8.00@9.50.
Wheat Straw—$4.00@5.00.
Oat Straw—$4.00@5.00.

PRODUCE.

Butter—15c.
Best Jar Butter—9c.
Eggs—22@23c.
Chickens—6½c.
Honey—14c.

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BEFORE JUSTICE TANCEY.

On the 6th of last November, election day, Earl McGinnis and William Bowman, both residents of Aboite, had an election dispute, which finally led to blows. When they separated McGinnis, who is a blacksmith, warned Bowman never to set foot on his premises again. Bowman kept away until Wednesday, when he entered McGinnis' premises and the latter proceeded to do him up in the latest approved fashion. Today Bowman filed suit against McGinnis for assault and battery, to which charge a plea of guilty was entered and a fine of $1 and costs was assessed. Bowman followed it up with another affidavit for assault committed on the 6th of November, and McGinnis retaliated with an affidavit against Bowman for the same offense committed on the same day. The latter two cases will be heard by Justice Tancey this afternoon.

Minnie Daily and Myrtle Anderson, of Huestis avenue, indulged in a neighborhood quarrel, with the result that Minnie is now under arrest for assaulting Myrtle. The case will be heard in Justice Tancey's court this afternoon.

WAS NOT THE REAL THING.

A fellow from Auburn, who was in the city yesterday, visited a number of east end saloons and left the impression that he was Marvin Kuhns. He was armed and was given a pretty wide berth by those who believed he was indeed the desperado. This morning some one pointed out the fellow to Officer Pappert on Columbia street, and the officer promptly marshed him to the station. After an investigation he was permitted to leave town.

LOCAL NEWS.

Officer Madden was obliged to go home this morning on account of illness.

Officer Bob Dickson is off duty today on account of the illness of his wife.

Hon. Charles M. Brown and H. R. Culbertson, of Auburn, are in the city today.

The Women's Label league will meet in the assembly room of the court house this evening.

The Modern Woodmen are in session in the assembly room of the court house this afternoon.

Officer Romy shortly before noon arrested two vags on Barr streeet. One of them was pretty drunk and the other willing to be. They had in their possesison two ladies' hats and a pair of shoes, evidently stolen, which they were trying to sell. They told a tale about having found them in an alley, but their story was disbelieved and they were locked up.

FINAL HEARING FIXED.

The final hearing in the bankruptcy petitions of Frank E. Purcell, of this city; Frank M. Hackett, of Steuben county; David J. Bearm, of Lagrange, and James M. Preston, of Lagrange, will be held before Judge Baker at Indianapolis January 30.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

In 1800 there were in all the world less than fifty shipbuilding yards. Today there are more than 700 shipbuilding yards, turning out a total of 1,000 vessels yearly.

The first iron war vessel built in the world was the United States steamship Michigan, which is still on duty on the great lakes and has often been seen in Chicago.

According to a report just issued by the state mine inspector of Montana, that state produces 23 1-3 per cent. of the world's copper output and 61 per cent. of the output of this country. These industries hardly existed in Montana twenty-five years ago.

Twenty-two Indians from the Cattaraugus reservation, near Erie, Pa., have started for Westcott, Wyo., where they will affiliate with what is left of the once powerful Modoc tribe. This party is to act as advance guard from those left on eastern reservations, all of whom are tired of their present location. They claim that they can have more freedom in the west.

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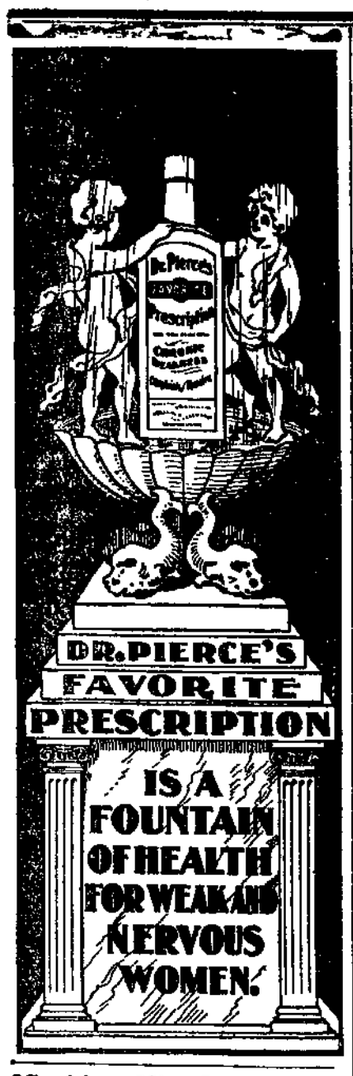

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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned commissioner, appointed by the Whitley circuit court in Cause No. 4298, wherein Henry Kanning is plaintiff, and Sophia Kanning et al., are defendants, will, by virtue of an order of said court made and entered of record at the September term, 1900, offer for sale at private sale, at the law office of Henry Colerick, in the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, upon Thursday, the 31st day of January, 1901, the following described real estate situated in Allen county, Indiana, to-wit: The west half of lot Number One Hundred and Twenty (120), and the east half of lot Number One Hundred and Twenty-one (121), all in the original plat of the City of Fort Wayne, being sixty feet fronting on East Wayne street, in said city. The same has been appraised in two parcels, to-wit: The east twenty feet thereof and the west forty feet thereof, and will be sold in parcels or as a whole to the best advantage, and will continue said sale from day to day until sold.

Terms of sale: Said real estate will be sold free and clear of the line in favor of Charles F. Pfeiffer. Payments, one-third cash in hand, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years; the deferred payments to be secured by notes waiving relief from valuation and appraisement laws, drawing six per cent interest from date of sale and secured by mortgage upon the premises.

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MANARY GOES TO THE FARM

THE OLD SHOPMAN WILL TAKE UP AGRICULTURE.

It has been decided to take the remains of the late Frank B. Burke, the Pennsylvania brakeman who lost his life in an accident at Lima, O., to Dry Run, Pa., for interment.

Two brothers of the deceased are now en route from the west and if they have no objections to the present plans, the remains and the funeral party will leave this city for Dry Run next Saturday. The remains will be accompanied by Brakemen H. F. Henschen and Valentine Weber, who represent the local lodge of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and the bereaved family and brothers. The entire arrangements have been placed in the hands of the Trainmen's brotherhood and that order will turn out in a body to attend the funeral exercises at the house, 99 Green street, and convey the remains to the depot. The local brotherhood has sent a telegram to the Altoona lodge requesting that lodge to send a committee to Mt. Union, Pa., to accompany the funeral party to Dry Run. The latter is twenty miles from Mt. Union.

MOVES FROM THE CITY.

John C. Manary, who was employed at the Pittsburg shops from their infancy up to January 1, 1901, has gone to Kalkaska, Mich., to spend the remainder of his life on a farm. Mr. Manary has been preparing for this change for the past fifteen years and it is welcomed by him. He has an excellent farm, is strong and hearty and has years of enjoyable and useful life before him. Mr. Manary's son has been living upon the farm for some years.

B. OF R. T. BALL.

Fort Wayne lodge, No. 136, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, has decided to hold its annual ball at the Wayne club. The date has not been fully settled upon, but it will most likely be Monday, February 18. The committee of arrangements at its meeting tonight will decide that question. The coming ball will undoubtedly be a grand social and financial success.

THE ALLEGED CAR SHORTAGE.

J. Q. Van Winkle, general superintendent of the Cleveland, Cincinnati Chicago and St. Louis and an official who is a close observer of transportation questions, says: "I do not join in this loud cry of car shortage and insufficient power to handle the business offered. Were the ideas of some shippers and freight men carried out, about two months of the year an enormous business would be handled and the other ten months much of the equipment be idle. When a freight official says that his road is short 2,500 cars of filling orders, it does not mean that the shortage is increasing, as fully one-third, if not one-half, that number of cars will be unloaded and ready to load the next day. The more serious feature of such a supply of cars would be that, after being loaded, they would go to some division point where there would be a congestion and there remain several days, as when business is heavy there is no time that, at the seaboard terminals, there is not a congestion of business, and cars are not unloaded under present conditions as fast as they arrive, notwithstanding the better facilities for handling grain, all classes of export freights and freights of local character. The volume of business now moving is about all the roads can handle to advantage at division points and terminals, and the earnings certainly leave no room for complaint. The 60,000-pound capacity car is loaded with such system that no space is unoccupied, and more cars and increased power would only mean more loaded cars used as storehouses and a less economical method of handling business; shippers would have more room for complaint than they have now, as most of the roads are able to supply a fair complement of empty cars to shippers who would be seriously crippled if not provided with cars."

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ANOTHER SWITCH CREW.

On account of the increasing business of the road, the Nickel Plate has put another switch engine and crew into service in the yards in this city. Conductor Frank Kelley and Brakemen C. A. Blount and W. P. Payne compose the switching crew.

HIRED MORE MEN.

The Fort Wayne Electric company has again been compelled to increase its force at the works. There are now nearly 600 names on the pay roll, which more than verifies General Manager Wood's predictions of a year ago. As soon as the new addition is completed the force of workmen will be increased fully one-third. The new names on the pay rolls are: Don DeHaven, Victor Nussbaum, Fred Smith, William Osseo, Arthur Shulz, Emil Olinske, H. Swier, William Miller, Charles Aker, W. R. Reynolds, George Fisher, L. Norris, E. Jacobs and LeRoy Zellers. These men were assigned to the rooms presided over by Foremen Bauer and King.

HIS FIRST OFFICIAL TRIP.

G. L. Potter passed through this city this morning on train No. 21, en route to Chicago. He was met at Crestline by Supt. J. B. McKim and Civil Engineer W. B. Blake, who accompanied Mr. Potter to Chicago. This is General Manager Potter's first trip over the Fort Wayne road in his new official capacity.

DANGEROUSLY ILL.

Thomas L. Comparet, of the Bass offices, who has been sick since last Sunday, is said to be in a precarious condition. A consultation of physicians was held in his behalf today and it was the opinion of the doctors that Mr. Comparet's condition was anything but reassuring. The early symptoms of the attack were those of typhoid, but other complications have developed. The progress of the maladies will be watched with extreme anxiety by the legion of friends of the sick man.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Clerk J. M. Haskel, of the east yards, is sick and off duty.

J. Pfeiffer has taken a position as brakeman on the Pittsburg road.

Sickness keeps Pittsburg Fireman A. R. Downey from his work on the road.

Planing Mill Foreman John Kretzinger, of the Pittsburg, is sick and off duty.

Nickel Plate Fireman John Brenenkamp is off duty on account of sickness.

Pittsburg Brakemen F. G. Peltier and B. W. Cullen reported for work yesterday.

Freight Agent C. H. Newton, of Toledo, was in the city a few hours yesterday.

William Rohyans, of the Pittsburg roundhouse, is off duty on account of sickness.

C. V. Jennings, engine foreman in the Wabash yards, is confined to his home by sickness.

B. Volz, the car wheel roller at the Pittsburg shops, has purchased a home on Hugh street.

Engineer Bert Crosby and Fireman John Hood, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days' rest.

Joseph Bursley, of the Pittsburg motive power department, is confined to his home by sickness.

John B. Wagner, shop foreman for Rhinesmith & Sionson, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Chief Dispatcher David Caldwell, of the Nickel Plate, is at work again after being sick a week or two.

Painter Foreman T. J. Rodabaugh, of the Pittsburg, is in Columbus, Ohio, today on business for the company.

William F. Kolhoff, F. C. Treuschet, Frank Wallace and Winfred Batson are new employes at the Pittsburg roundhouse.

Passenger Conductor F. I. Stump, of the Findlay, is sick and his train duties are being performed by Conductor Hoppe.

Louis Deck, of the Pittsburg roundhouse, is off duty nursing a lame leg. The limb was injured yesterday by Mr. Deck falling on the turntable.

The January number of the Pennsylvania time table is an unusual attractive pamphlet. It bears the name of G. L. Potter as general manager.

The Nickel Plate yesterday received two Brooks locomotives and put them in yard service at Bellevue.

Passenger Conductor George Bonter, who was sick a couple of weeks, resumed his train duties on the Pittsburg this morning.

Conductor H. Weber and Brakemen W. B. Rooney and W. H. Stevens, of the Pittsburg, are off duty. The two former are sick.

John V. Smith has been elected president of the railroad commission of Alabama for a term of four years vice James Croak, retired.

L. P. Burgess has been appointed New England passenger agent of the Nickel Plate, with headquarters in Boston, vice F. W. Tibbets, resigned.

W. O. Thompson, formerly with the Lake Shore road, has been appointed master mechanic of the Toledo, St. Louis and Western at a salary of $6,000 a year.

Henry Eix, jr., who had a foot burned a few weeks ago, resumed work in the Wabash blacksmith shop this morning. He had been at the Peru hospital.

C. A. Welsh, Pittsburg fireman, is at Atwood, Ind., where he was summoned yesterday by a telegram informing him of the serious illness of his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Crapser were taken to Hope hospital yesterday, suffering with typhoid fever. Mr. Crapser is the Lake Shore ticket agent at this point.

E. T. Davis, foreman of the Indianapolis freight house of the Pennsylvania company, arrived in the city this morning for a two days' visit with relatives and friends.

The Pennsylvania company will rebuild its interlocking plant at Dunkirk, Ohio. The present plant is not large enough since the tracks have been doubled at that point.

Nickel Plate Brakeman P. E. Hibinger, who had an ankle hurt two weeks ago, and Brakeman E. M. Bedson, who was taking a short vacation, reported for work yesterday.

The Northern Pacific has sold all its lands in North Dakota, amounting to 1,400,000 acres, to a syndicate of New York and eastern capitalists for the establishment of ranches.

R. Cramer suddenly resigned his position on the Nickel Plate yesterday and has left the city. The place thus made vacant in Conductor J. D. Hibinger's crew has been taken by A. A. Sanders.

A new Ajax improved bolt-header was placed in operation at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning. It makes 105 revolutions per minute and turns out bolts very rapidly. Fred Muhlenbruck is the operator.

H. G. Beneke, F. W. Ropa, H. Gerken, John F. Szink and M. R. Hardendorf, Pittsburg shopmen, are sick. A. R. Tagtmeyer, W. C. Ropa and L. H. Neireiter, of the same shops, are off duty by permission.

Grand Rapids and Indiana train No. 3 was an hour late in reaching the city last evening. The engine got its pony trucks and one pair of drivers off a derail, but was able to get on again without the assistance of the wreck crew. No damage.

A company has been organized with $50,000 capital to manufacture the railroad track mover invented by D. C. Creese. The plant will be built at Sharon, Pa., and give employment to several hundred men.

The Illinois Central on Saturday closed a contract with the Pittsburg locomotive works for thirty mogul type of engines, five ten-wheel passenger engines and five six-wheel switch engines, a total of forty locomotives, costing $350,000.

The Lackawanna road, which is said to be enjoying the most prosperous period of its history, has ordered sixty new engines and is preparing to put on new trains which will make the run between New York and Buffalo in nine hours.

Mrs. F. O. Bayless left January 5th for Columbus, Ohio, to join her husband, who is an employe of the electrical department of the Jeffies Manufacturing company. Mr. Bayless was an employe of the Fort Wayne Electric works for seven years. For the past year and a half he has been employed at the Sieman-Halske works, of Chicago. He is well pleased with his new position and the city of Columbus.

Western roads have agreed to make a rate of one fare, plus $2, for the round trip to Washington and return for the inauguration of President McKinley on March 4. Tickets at this rate will be sold on February 28 and March 1 and 2 from the western state lines of Colorado and Wyoming, and on February 27 and 28 and March 1 from points west thereof, but no tickets will be sold to reach eastern gateways before March 1. Tickets will be good to return until March 8.

Prof. Anton Sporl, a talented violinist, has come to Fort Wayne and will make this city his future home. Professor Sporl has opened an office in room 20, Schmitz block.

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ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

Again the theory advanced by the charter tinkers that Fort Wayne is the worst governed city in the union and needs a new police force has been effectually refuted. For the past twenty-four hours the city has been like one grand Utopian Elysium of law, order, tranquility, peace and great joy for all men. Not a single arrest was made and a police judgeship would be a sinecure of the most sinnicky kind.

Miss Klingsmith, a teacher in the public schools, last night found a pocketbook on the sidewalk in Lakeside, containing in cash, notes and certificates of deposit upwards of seven hundred dollars. The wallet was given to City Clerk Monning, who turned it over to Superintendent Gorsline.

The two men who are selling hair restorer in the city, in addition to their pranks as related in yesterday's Sentinel, are selling without a license and are being anxiously searched for by the police. They are very bold and in several instances reported from West Berry street they were absolutely insulting.

V. L. Sweet, a farmer living two miles north of the city reports the loss of a lap robe, which was taken from his buggy while standing on Harrison street, between Main and Columbia, between 11 and 12 o'clock last night.

James Jarrett, of 231 Force street, reports the loss of a horse by poisoning. Last Monday Mrs. Jarrett saw a stranger go into the barn and shortly afterward leave. The next day one of the horses was taken sick and a veterinary was called. The horse died Wednesday and the doctor says that death was unmistakably caused by poison. Who the dastard is that administered it Mr. Jarrett is utterly unable to conjecture, as he is not aware of having an enemy mean enough to resort to such a measure to revenge himself. The police are investigating the matter, with little hope of getting any clue to the perpetrator of the outrage.

The contract for the continuation of the compressed air system of raising water in the deep wells has been properly signed and forwarded to the Shaw-Kendall company at Toledo. There were some slight modifications in the agreement as originally drafted, but the general terms are as stated in The Sentinel several days ago. Ten wells will be connected, a larger compressor put in, the city will furnish the fuel and the company shall receive $2,000 for the six months' service. In the meantime should the city decide to install its own plant a rebate from the rental of the machinery will be allowed by the Shaw-Kendall company and the lease can be terminated at any time.

The board of public works will meet this evening, but no business of special moment is before it now. It is probable that the straightening of the river channel on the Clinton street flats may be informally discussed.

A six-inch water main on Taylor street broke yesterday and the water supply on that street between Broadway and Fairfield avenue has been shut off pending repairs, which will be completed immediately. The break was occasioned by the taking away of the earth support in the construction of the South Wayne sewer.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

GRIP IN PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 10.—Philadelphia physicians say the grip is spreading throughout the city with the rapidity with which is has claimed more than 10,000 victims in New York and Chicago. Few deaths have been recorded as due directly to the disease, bt the general increase in pneumonia, which has its inception in the grip, is causing much alarm.

HEAD FEELS LIKE BURSTING.

Maybe you were out late last night? If you had taken a Krause's Headache Capsule before retiring your head would be cool and clear this morning. Take one now and you will be all right in an half hour. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

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Many Lives Lost

In Klondyke. Frozen and Starved.

It is unnecessary to go to Klondyke when I can find you a young gold mine here in this town. I saw an "ad" in The Sentinel, "Wanted, old currency." I have 10c, 25c, 50c paper; also gold dollars, $2.50, $3.00, large pennies, silver 3c, 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c, from 1807 to 1900, and old foreign country pieces. I gathered in my gold mine without digging or sifting. The currency is for sale, and also groceries and meats for sale. Look at our prices:

All City Flour, $4 per bbl.
Potatoes, 40c per bu.
Navy Beans or Sweet Peas, 4 qts 25c.
Tomatoes, 3-lb can, 8c.
Sweet Can Corn, 8c.
Oil and Mustard Sardines, 5c per box.
10 bars Soap, 25c.
Parlor Matches, 2,400 for 15c.
Cabbage, 5c per head.
Plug Tobacco, 30c per lb.
Beans, 5c per can.
Hominy, 3-lb can, 5c.
Rice, 5c per lb.
Buckwheat, 10c to 15c per sack.
Cornmeal, 5c per sack.
Breakfast Bacon, 10c per lb.
California Ham, 8c lb.
Boiling Meat, Roast, Steak, Pork, Mutton and all kind of Sausages at reduced prices.
$3 Men's Shoes, for $2.
$2.25 Men's Shoes for $1.50.
Men's Working Shoes, $1.00.
Ladies' $3 and $3.50 Shoes, $2.
Every day Shoes and Slippers, 75c to $1 pair.
Ladies' Rubbers, 25c.
Men's Rubbers, 35c.

Also Men's Furnishing Goods at half price. Our store is improved. Gas and electric lights. We are surely selling out and sell or rent the building, and will retire. Twenty-three years in this place. Feed store connected. Hay, straw, corn, oats and all kind of feed. Remember the place, 208 Hanna Street. Home telephone 663. Also our Franklin hotel, improved; gas and electric lights; rooms furnished in best of style. Order your meals; will cook what you want. Rooms to yourself, $3.50 per week. We have our own supplies. Our business is all connected in one.

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Is now on and will continue through the month of January.

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Big crowds and small profits is the watchword here during this sale.

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We match the merchandise of all competitors, giving the same goods for less money, or better goods for the same money.

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That suits, and the suits about right for the figure.

$23.00

Pretty low, and they've moved right lively, too. Mautner will continue this offer for a time. Suits worth from $25 to $30 now going for $23.

Trouserings at $6.00 that are worth up to $8.00.

See our window display.

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THURSDAY, JAN. 10, 1901.

OUR TELEPHONES.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Forecast for Indiana—Threatening tonight; Friday fair; colder tonight and in extreme south portion Friday; brisk westerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

John Dalman left today for California, where he expects to remain three or four months.

Mrs. A. Griffith will entertain the members of the Plymouth Chautauqua circle this evening.

Two of the post office force are off duty. They are George D. Piepenbrink, carrier, and Guy J. Gilbert, clerk.

William Young has purchased the interest formerly owned by Daniel McPhall in the firm of Viberg & Co.

The Mulqueen Dancing academy will give a pogressive pedro and dance to its pupils and friends this evening.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of Bethel Evangelical church will be held this evening.

Miss Maud Challenger will entertain the Farther Light society of the Baptist church at her home, 70 Madison street, this evening.

Mrs. Saylor charmingly entertained the members of the Utile Dulci club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. William Lawson was to have been the hostess, but could not entertain on account of illness.

Mrs. Charles A. Drummond, of West Williams street, who has been dangerously ill at Hope hospital for the past two months, returned home yesterday very much improved in health.

Ninety members of Kekionga Council, No. 93, of the National union, were present at the installation of officers last evening, and a smoker was held at the close of the lodge session.

Several officers of the Dahlonega Mining company were in the city Wednesday looking after the erection of new machinery which is being built for them at the Bass works. The party included George H. Breyman and Frank Thomson, of Toledo, and J. W. Adams, of Chattanooga.

BUTTER DOWN 2C POUND.

EGGS DOWN 2C DOZEN.

Best Country Roll Butter. 18c lb.
Strictly Fresh Eggs, 20c dozen.
All Best City Flour, $4.00 bbl.
Best Garrett Mills Flour, $3.75 bbl.
Home Grown Potatoes, 40c bush.
Michigan Potatoes, 45c bushel.
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 40c peck.
Choice Yellow Onions, 20c peck.
Spanish Onions, 5c pound.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 11c lb.
Picnic Hams and Shoulders, 8c lb.
English Breakfast Bacon, 12½c lb.
Buckwheat Flour, 10 lbs 28c.
New Vermont Maple Syrup. 75c gallon.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

NOTICE.

I hereby notify all parties that I will not be responsible for any money loaned to my son, Henry C. Heuer.

10-3t WILLIAM HEUER.

FLOUR, MEATS, OYSTERS.

Mayonice Flouring Mills' Roller Granulation Flour, $4.00 bbl. Try this Flour. Every sack guaranteed equal to any Flour made.
All City Brands Flour, $4.00 bbl.
Rock Creek Favorite, $3.75 bbl.
Pure Buckwheat Flour, 3c lb.
All Pancake Flours, 9c pkg.
Quaker and Mother's Oats, 10c pkg.
Sugar Cured Hams, 11c lb.
Fine Sugar Cured Bacon, 12½c lb.
Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, 8c lb.
Sugar Cured Corned Beef, 8c lb.
Pork Shoulders and Spare Ribs, 7c lb.
Pork Chops or Sausage, 8c lb.
Boiling Beef, 6-7c lb.
Large Select Oysters, 25c can.
Large Stewing Oysters, 20c can.
Extra Fine Celery, 25c bunch.

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Infants Shoes

At Thing & Co.'s big mid-winter sale. 1,000 pairs Infants' Soft Sole Shoes, sizes 0 to 4, over 50 styles; the 50c kind, for 25c; all colors; a new lot.

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VISITING NURSE LEAGUE.

The Visiting Nurse League desires to make an appeal to the public for an emergency case. At present its treasury is practically empty, yet the visiting nurse is nobly performing her work. A week ago an emergency arose in which it was necessary to send a nurse to a destitute family, four children, who were attacked with diphtheria, one having died, the other three very near death's door. The nurse employed regularly could not abandon her work and go, and there was no alternative but to send a trained nurse, trusting to the generosity of the people to help out. Donations for this purpose must be handed in at once and may be sent to or left at Room 8, City Hall building, when they will be turned over to the treasurer, Dr. Carrithers Calvin. Should the amount received exceed the requirements, the surplus will be put into a special fund to meet like emergency cases.

In connection with this, to show the line of work in which the visiting nurse is engaged, the following report for the past month, made at the League meeting, Wednesday afternoon, will be both interesting and instructive:

Number of calls made..... 76
Number of baths given..... 17
Number of massages given.... 12

Donations given: New garments, 19; old garments, 4; shoes, 2 pairs; soap, 2 cakes; vegetables, 1 peck; milk, 2 quarts; buttermilk, 1 quart; malted milk, 5 pounds; meat, 3 pounds; jelly, 3 glasses; oranges, 1 dozen; medicine, 3 ounces; soda, 3 pounds; flowers, one-half dozen; calico, 3 yards; stew pan, tin cup; Christmas presents to 9 families.

Donations received: New gowns, 2; jelly, 14 glasses, from Dorcas society English Lutheran church; pillow cases; two shirts; books and toys from Sunshine society and others; $3 from Sunshine society.

Expenses: Car fare, $0.45; meat and vegetables, 40c; soda, 18c; coal, 5c; shoes, $1; flowers, 35c; fruit, 40c; milk, 12c; calico, 38c; undergarments, 25c; medicine, 85c; washing, 50. Total, $6.92.

SERVICES OF PRAYER.

The following prayer meetings of Simpson M. E. church will be held at the home of members on Friday:

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of David Bricker, 25 Oliver street; leader, pastor.

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of J. W. Wetzel, 86 Swinney avenue; leader, Alta Hines.

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of Mrs. Smith, 143 East Creighton avenue; leader, Mrs. Siegler.

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of Mr. Waight, 10 Colerick street; leader, Mrs. Brandenburg.

Rubbers

At Thing's big mid-winter sale.
Men's Rubbers, 35c, 50c, 65c.
Ladies' Rubbers, 25c.
Ladies' 60c Rubbers, Goodyear Glove, 40c.
Misses' Rubbers, 25c and 35c.
Men's Federal and Boston $3.25 Rubber Boots, $2.47.
Men's Buckle Arctic Overshoes, 75c and $1 00.
Youths' and Misses' 85c Arctics, 50c.
Ladies' $1.00 Storm Alaska Overshoes, 49c.
It will pay you to take in Thing's big sale.

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Best Michigan Sand Potatoes, 50c per bu.
California Prunes, 5c, 8c and 10c per lb.
California Muhr Peaches, 10c per lb
Fancy California Apricots, 12½c lb.
Fancy Jersey Cranberries, 10c qut.
Fancy Evaporated Apples, 10c lb.
Fancy Wax Lemons, 20c doz.
3-lb can Pie Peaches, 10c per can.
3-lb can California Peaches, first-class, 15c per can.
We give you Uncle Sam Trading Stamps at

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Blue Sea warranted pure Cod Fish and absolutely boneless, 12c lb.
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Hosiery and Underwear.

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In no department will the reductions be more emphatic than in that of our hosiery and underwear. . . . . .

ONE LOT CHILDREN'S RIBBED vests and pants, sizes 3, 4 and 5, for ages 5 to 12 years; regular price has been 19 cents.....

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 12½ CENTS.

BOYS' HEAVY FLEECE LINED shirts and drawers, sizes 24 to 34, for ages 5 to 16 years; formerly sold for 35 to 48 cents....

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 25 CENTS.

ONE LOT CHILDREN'S WOOL vests formerly sold for 25 cents..

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 15 CENTS.

50 DOZ. MEN'S HEAVY FLEECE lined shirts and drawers, sizes 34 to 44; the kind you pay 50 cents for .....

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 25 CENTS.

ONE LOT LADIES' FINE EGYTTIAN yarn, fleece-lined vests and pants; have been ready sellers at 35 cents .....

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 25 CENTS.

ONE LOT LADIES' GOOD quality fleece-lined ribbed vests; the 25 cent kind.....

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 19 CENTS.

50 DOZ. MEN'S WOOL FLEECE lined shirts and drawers, sizes 34 to 44; same as you pay at many stores 75 cents for.....

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 39 CENTS.

ONE LOT MEN'S ALL WOOL blue and black overshirts; sells regularly for $1.25.....

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 89 CENTS.

ONE LOT MEN'S HEAVY Navy blue ad black fleece lined overshirts; regular price 69 cents.

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A large and most complete stock of hosiery in wool, fleece lined and cotton. All on sale at our greatly reduced Anniversary Sale Prices.

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BERKEY—HAHN.

Miss Nora Hahn and Erven C. Berkey, both of this city, were quietly married at the parsonage of Grace Reformed church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. A. K. Zartman. Mr. and Mrs. Berkey formerly resided in Goshen, and they will probably make that city their future home.

REV. DR. HENSON ILL.

A Providence, R. I., paper which has just reached the city, contains the first sermon of Rev. Dr. L. L. Henson, delivered at the Cranston Street Baptist church in that city last Sunday morning. It is also stated that Dr. Henson was taken ill during the day, and his physican forbade him leaving the house to preach the evening sermon. Dr. Henson is threatened with pneumonia..

Reserve your seats for the Drummond Benefit Entertainment Friday night. 9t2

Mrs. Clara Diana Stacy will give a chart talk to ladies at her home, 24 W. Berry St., Jan. 11th, at 2:30 p. m. Subject, "Health the Foundaton of the Home." 9-2t

Cost means nothing at the Daugherty Smoke Sale. The finest of Millinery is being sold at about 1-4 the actual cost. 8tf

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Fine Millinery (slightly damaged by smoke) is now being sold at Daugherty's at a small fractional of the original cost. 8tf

TURN A NEW LEAF.

Get one of the handsome Savings Banks at the Citizens' Trust Co. and start a savings account for the New Year. 28-26t

SMOKE SALE.

The Daugherty stock of Fine Millinery is now on sale. Slightly damaged goods are being almost given away. 8tf

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Any woman may have beautiful hair. If it is a trifle thin, we can help her with one of our Switches. There is more value to them than the mere intrinsic cost.

To reduce stock we will for the remainder of this month give a 20 per cent. discount on all Switches.

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"Uncle Tom's Cabin"

The original version. Grand free street parade. Prices—10, 20, 30 and 50 cents; matinee, children, 10; adults, 20 and 30 cents.

MASONIC TEMPLE.....

THURSDAY, JAN. 17TH, CHARLES FROHMAN

Presents the Enormous Dramatic Triumph, DAVID BELASCO'S VERSION —OF—

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As Given for Over 200 NIGHTS IN NEW YORK.

Sale of seats Monday, Jan. 14.

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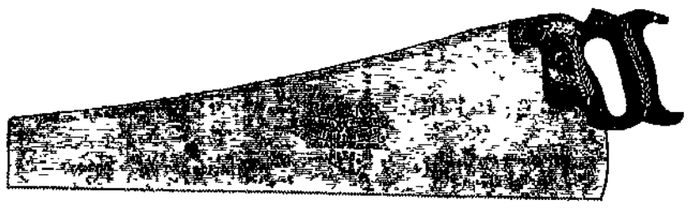

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Buy the best and run no risk by experimenting with inferior goods. As to our prices, a few words will suffice. There is no royal road to wealth, but there is a chance for every one who practices economy. By buying from us you will pay no more than others charge and about ninety-nine times out of a hundred you'll save anywhere from a few cents to a few dollars.

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EIGHTY-EIGHT THOUSAND MEN AT SIAN FU.

FAITH IN THEIR STRENGTH

POWERS WILL REJECT HAY'S PROPOSALS.

Pekin, Jan. 10.—A Chinaman from Sian Fu, wher the court is at present, says that within the city 85,000 Chinese troops are drilling continuously, and the majority of them are armed with modern rifles. He says the feeling of the people there is bitterly anti-foreign and they believe they can meet the allies in the open, fight and defeat them.

The ministers are astonished over the Chinese grant to Russia of a concession north of the Pei-Ho at Tien Tsin as large as the British and French concessions combined. The grant, according to the Russians, was made voluntarily for services in endeavoring to bring about peace. The ministers think the concession constitutes good pay when considered in addition to the annexation of all Manchuria.

Li Hung Chang believe he will receive a favorable reply regarding the signing of the agreement tomorrow.

Senor Corogan, the Spanish minister, thinks negotiations will commence at Pekin, possibly ending in Europe. M. De Giers thinks negotiations will end at The Hague.

THE POWERS WILL DECLINE.

Paris, Jan. 10.—The correspondent here of The Associated Press learns on good authority that the suggestion of the government of the United States to change the seat of the Chinese negotiations from Pekin to Washington will be declined by the powers.

AN IMPORTANT AFFAIR.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The state department has received an important communication from the German government relating to the Chinese question. The nature of the communicaton has not been disclosed.

CARNEGIE OPPOSES HANNA.

Ironwood, Mich., Jan. 10.—The agitation over the proposed appointment of George A. Newett, of Lshpeming, to the state tax commission develops a quiet fight between the Carnegie and Hanna iron interests in the upper peninsula. It is the Oliver Iron company versus the Commonwealth Iron group. According to the opponents of the Oliver company Newett is the candidate of the Carnegie interests, and is being vigorously backed. General Manager Thomas F. Cole, of this city, has canvassed the upper peninsula, getting indorsements for Newett, and coercion is even hinted at.

The Oliver company already leases or owns twelve or fifteen mines and is exceedingly powerful. Governor Bliss still has the matter under advisement, so it is understood here. The confirmation of Newett in the senate, if appointed, will be bitterly contested.

IS NEAR DEATH'S DOOR.

James R. Darrow, an aged and well known citizen, is lying at the pont of death at his home, 15 Holman street. Mr. Darrow is 80 years of age, and is gradually declining beneath the weight of years. His death has been almost momentarily expected for the past forty-eight hours.

PRESIDENT IS BETTER.

Washington, Jan. 10.—At 10 o'clock this morning Secretary Cortelyou said that the president has had a good night and was distinctly better. No complications of any kind have appeared and everything is progressing satisfactorily.

ELKS' OLD CLOTHES SOCIAL.

The "old clothes" social given by the Elks at their lodge rooms last night was a pronounced success in every particular. Notwithstanding the miserable inclemency of the weather, the lodge rooms were completely filled and the happy crowd in the enjoyement of the occasion gave no heed to the pouring rain outside. Elias Day, the impersonator, provided the principal entertainment, and was exceedingly well received. He gave some rare character impersonations, read from Riley and Kipling and introduced some miscellaneous readings that captivated the audience. After the introductory entertainment the lodge and its guests resolved into a genuine old-fashioned social session and jollity prevailed for hours. F. W. Urbahns served as toastmaster and practically everybody present was obliged to contribute something in the way of a story, a song, a dance or something else equally entertaining, and some very delightful bon mots were sprung. There was music galore and refreshments of all kinds were plentiful without cost. Several hundred bundles of old clothes—some not so old, either—were contributed and the cash donations amounted to about $150. The proceeds will be distributed by the lodge relief committee and many families will be made happy as a result of the evening's jollification.

THE C. L. DRUMMOND BENEFIT

MANY SEATS ARE ALREADY RESERVED.

Press Club's Offering at Masonic Temple Friday Evening Will Be Notable.

As the date for the Press club's memorial benefit for the family of the late C. L. Drummond draws near there is a very gratifying interest manifested in the entertainment, and many seats have been reserved today, though there is still ample opportunity for several hundred other friends of Mr. Drummond to express their sympathy in a substantial manner. The entertainment will be given at Masonic Temple theater tomorrow evening and the program arranged will be most enjoyable.

DIED OF BLOOD POISON.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 10.—Walter Steele, one of the founders of the Carpenter Steel works, died last night after an illness of five weeks from blood poison and gangrene. Several months ago the large toe of Mr. Steele's left foot became inflamed as the result of irritation caused by the shoe. Mr. Steele paid little attention to it, bt about five weeks ago the member began to cause him great pain and became considerably swollen. Mr. Steele went to a physician and began treatment, but he grew steadily worse. Mr. Steele was general manager of the Philadelphia Steel ad Iron works, North Reading. He was born in England.

ROUSES THE QUAKER CITY.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 10.—At a meeting last night in the Academy of Music to prevent the spread of vice Bishop Potter spoke and a resolution was adopted stating that the city had fallen under the sway of the worst elements, organized into a political machine. "The unwarranted use of the police power and other agencies," it was stated, "afflicts us with almost every form of misgovernment." The citizens who signed the invitations to the speakers of the meeting were appointed a preliminary committee to form an organization.

A SWEDE'S MAD DEEDS.

Boston, Jan. 10.—Sevante Anderson, a Swede, shot and killed his wife and probably fatally wounded his mother and five-year-old boy at their home in Jamaica Plain today. He then killed himself.

ADMIRAL CERVERA ILL.

Madrid, Jan. 10.—A dispatch from Puerto Real, near Cadiz, where Admiral Cervera is lying ill, says his condition has grown worse and that his recovery is almost hopeless.

E. P. DAILEY RETIRES.

E. P. Dailey, who has been associated with James Taft in the manufacture of ladies' shirt waists under the firm name of the Wayne Waist company, has retired from that firm and Mr. Taft will continue the business, which has grown to gratifying proportions. The factory is upon the third and fourth floors of the Taft dry goods store building.

Owing to the sickness of Mrs. G. W. Stout, who was to have entertained the Mite society of Christ's Lutheran church tomorrow afternoon and evening, the society and friends will be entertained by Mrs. Metschman at the parsonage, 95 Webster street.

SEND A PETITION

FILIPINO PRAYER READ IN THE SENATE.

ASPIRE TO INDEPENDENCE

SAY THEY WILL NOT ACCEPT AUTONOMY.

HAWLEY CALLS IT TREASON

THE DOINGS IN THE HOUSE AND SENATE.

Washington, Jan. 10.—On the desk of Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, at the opening of today's session of the senate, lay a bunch of beautiful roses, sent by friends as a testimonial of his efforts to secure the abolition of the canteen in the army.

Mr. Vest and Mr. Rawlins announced that they had been detained unavoidably from the senate yesterday when the vote on the canteen question was taken. They would have voted, had they been present, to sustain the action of the senate committee—that is, against the abolition of the canteen.

Mr. Teller presented a memorial from 2,000 "Filipinos and peaceful inhabitants" of Manila. The memorial was in the form of an appeal to the congress of the United States, and as Mr. Teller stated, was "signed personally by the leading people of Manila and that section—lawyers, bankers and professional men, representing the best elements of that community."

It recited the circumstances leading up to the present struggle of the Filipinos for independence. It paid a high tribute to the work of Aguinaldo and his coadjutors in their effort to obtain liberty and independence for the people of the Philippines.

Reference was made to some of the principal events of the present revolution against American authority, the petition urging that the American troops had failed to make a serious impression on the revolutionary party. It pointed out that Aguinaldo had declared he might lose the hope of victory, but he would not lose the hope of dying for the liberty and independence of his people. It pointed out that the revolution has the support of practically all the people of the Philippines and declares that though 100 revolutionists be destroyed, 1,000 will rise up to support and fight for independence.

All of the islands of the archipelago, says the memorial, are supporting the revolution and they will not yield until the last drop of Filipino blood has been shed.

The Filipino nation, the memorial continues, bearing in mind the history of America and its humanitarian doctrines, asks the government of the United States to cease its "persecution of men struggling to be free, struggling against greater odds and greater wrongs than those which inspired the fathers of the republic."

This they ask "in the name of Washington, of Jefferson, of Lincoln, in the name of justice and in the name of God Eternal."

The appeal declares that an autonomy similar to that enjoyed by Canada or Australia would not be acceptable to the Filipinos, who desire full liberty and independence, and they urge the government of the United States to give them liberty and independence.

When the reading of the memorial had been concluded Mr. Teller asked that it be printed as a document.

"I object," said Mr. Hawley, of Connecticut; "it is a treasonable denunciation of our government and an attack upon our soldiers."

The senate resumed consideration of the army reorganization bill. An amendment was adopted providing that persons not over forty years of age, who have served as volunteers subsequent to April 21, 1898, may be appointed first and second lieutenants in the regular army.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The desk of Representative Clark, of New Hampshire, who died last night at his home, was shrouded in black and covered with flowers when the house met today.

By unanimous consent the bill to revise and codify the postal laws of the United States was made a special order after the disposal of the river and harbor bill.

The following days were set aside for paying tributes:

Saturday, February 2, at 8 o'clock, to the late Senator Davis, of Minnesota; Saturday, February 9, at 4, to the late Representative Wise, of Virginia; January 26, at 4 o'clock, to the late Senator Gear, of Iowa, and February 16, at 4 o'clock, to the late Representative Hoefecker, of Delaware.

The house then went into committee of the whole and resumed the consideration of the river and harbor bill.

Mr. Shackleford, of Missouri, protested against the action of the committee in abolishing the Missouri river commission.

Mr. Grosvenor, of Ohio, replied briefly to the remarks of some of the western members in favor of appropriations in the river and harbor bill for the reclamation of arid lands.

He appreciated the glamour of the prospect of watering the arid regions of the country, but he denied the power of congress to enter upon a vast scheme of irrigation, and he questioned its propriety.

Mr. Jones, of West Virgnia, made an earnest plea for an appropriation for improving the inner harbor at Grays Harbor, Washington.

Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, then took the floor for an hour's speech, in which he vigorously assailed various features of the bill

He was in favor of promoting interstate commerce by every sort of legitimate improvement. What he complained of were the enormous sums appropriated for purely local and state improvements.

"I understand," said Mr. Hepburn, "that some gentlemen here are getting their backs up because a gentleman is proposing to exploit the manner in which the states of members of the committee are taken care of in this bill. What are you complaining off" he asked, addressing the members of the committee; "the notoriety of the act or the act itself?"

Mr. Hepburn and W. A. Smith, of Michigan, had a sharp exchange, in which personalities were bandied back and forth. Many of Mr. Hepburn's remarks were aimed at the undue amounts which the state of Michigan received and this fact aroused the resentment of Michigan members.

SENATE KILLS THE CANTEEN.

Washington, Jan. 10.—By a vote of 34 to 15 the senate has delivered a death blow to the army canteen. The result was not accomplished without a determined and persistent struggle on the part of the advocates of temperance in the army. Party lines were lost, and the roll call showed a much larger majority in favor of striking out the provision in favor of the canteen system than was expected. Both houses of congress now having placed themselves on record in support of temperance reform in the army, the members of the W. C. T. U. who led the fight against the canteen feel that the national legislature has started the twentieth century in commendable style.

As the section now stands in the bill it reads as follows:

"The sale or dealing in beer, wine or any intoxicating liquors by any person in any post, exchange or canteen or army transport or upon any premises used for military purposes by the United States is hereby prohibited. The secretary of war is hereby directed to carry the provisions of this section into full force and effect."

DR. WILLIAM E. STEMEN HERE

ARMY SURGEON AT HOME FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

Reached Fort Wayne This Morning and Will Soon Locate in the City Permanently.

Dr. William E. Stemen arrived in the city this morning, and is a guest at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Stemen, at 23 Broadway.

Dr. Stemen has been serving as a surgeon with the United States army in the Philippines, and has just returned to America, having reached San Francisco on the last day of December. He saw long and severe service in the Orient, and was for a time in very poor health.

Dr. Stemen is yet in the service, he has asked for his discharge, and he aho asked for his discharge, and it is presumed his resignation will be accepted within a short time. He will then locate in Fort Wayne permanently, forming a partnership with his father, in the practice of medicine and surgery. He left Fort Wayne a number of years ago, and previous to entering the army was engaged in practice at Kansas City, Missouri.

Paul N. Geiger is at home from Springfield, Ohio.

AT MANY POINTS

THE BOERS ATTACKED THE BRITISH.

AN ATTEMPT TO SURPRISE

SIMULTANEOUS ASSAULTS ON SEVERAL POINTS.

BOERS WERE DRIVEN BACK

KITCHENER REPORTS VERY LIVELY TIMES.

London, Jan. 10.—General Kitchener sends news of a serious simultaneous attack on the night of January 7 by the republicans on the British positions between points sixty miles apart, along the lines of the Pretoria and Lorenzo Marques railway. The losses on both sides were heavy. According to reports the Boers were beaten off after prolonged fighting.

Following is the text of the dispatch from General Kitchener:

"Pretoria, Wednesday, Jan. 9.—On the night of January 7 the Boer made simultaneous and determined attacks upon all of our posts at Belfast, Wonderfontein, Nooitgedacht and Wildfontein.

"Intense fog prevailed, and taking advantage of the cover it afforded, the Boers were able to creep up close to our positions. A heavy fire continued until 3:40 a. m., when the Boers were driven off. One officer was killed and three were wounded, while twenty men were killed and fifty-nine wounded. The loss of the Boers was heavy, twenty-four dead being counted.

"A convoy taking supplies to Gordon's brigade, north of Krugersdorp, was attacked by Beyer's commando yesterday (Tuesday). The Boers wer driven off, leaving eleven dead on the field. Our casualties were four slightly wounded."

ASK FOR PROTECTION.

Cape Town, Jan. 10.—The refugees are appoaching the military authorities to obtain permission to form a corps for the potection of Johannesburg and the mines only, as they wish to be on the Rand to assist in the defense of their own property. The chamber of ministers has adopted a similar attitude. On the Piequetberg road the Boers occupying Celvinia and Subtherland consist of two columns, one advancing in the direction of Clan William and the other towards Worcester, or in this direction. All passes in front of Worcester have been occupied by toops, which are gathering at strategic points. The Transvaal Dutch openly disapprove of the raid, many even sending horses to the British camp.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

The county commissioners yesterday gave audience to the board of public works. The latter reported the condition of the Clinton street bridge as being inadequate to the requirements of traffic upon the Clinton street thoroughfare and suggested that a new bridge be built or the old one strengthened to meet demands. The commissioners heard the suggestions and then pulled a few volumes of Indiana law on the board. The law provides that in all cases where bridges must be built in cities at a cost to exceed $500 the commissioners shall build said bridge and the city shall thereafter maintain it. Although it is not the letter of the law, the intent doubtless is that the city shall at all times contribute the first $500 of the cost of bridges built within the limits, although this construction has not always been put on the statute. In this case the commissioners hold that inasmuch as there is a bridge at Clinton street, originally built by the county, it is now up to the city to keep it in proper repair, and if it is weak, it is the duty of the board and not the commissioners to properly strengthen it. The law is unquestionably with the county in the matter as it now stands and what action the board will take has not yet been determined. The board having officially declared the bridge insufficient in strength and capacity for legitimate traffic it looks very much as though somebody will have to act in the matter at once or take chances on future damage suits.

Mrs. Stout, wife of Sheriff Stout, who has been ill with grip, is slowly improving.

The case of the state vs. Henry Miller, of Hoagland, for selling liquor without a license, is on trial in the circuit court before a jury. There are many witnesses and the case is vigorously contested.

The petition for the McCormick road in Eel River township has been withdrawn on account of the insufficiency of signers.

Ivory Moore has filed her final report as administratrix of the estate of Elim J. Moore.

William J. Rodenbeck has filed an inventory of the estate of Christian Rodenbeck, deceased.

Oscar D. Wood has filed suit against Henry M. Williams to recover an equity involved in a real estate transaction consummated in 1891.

Frank J. Poirson, administrator of the estate of Peter F. Poirson, has commenced suit on a mortgage note against Henry J. Boershinger et al., for $250.

The Miller liquor case went to the jury this afternoon.

The county commissioners this afternoon established the Anspach ditch in Jackson township on the report of the viewers.

SENATOR RYAN TAKES SEAT

PERMITTED TO HOLD WHILE CONTEST PENDS.

Decision Reached by Vote in the Chamber—House Adjourned This Morning at 10:30.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 10.—The senate by vote this morning decided that Senator William C. Ryan, between whom and Senator-elect Stephen B. Fleming there is a contest for the seat of the joint senatorship of Adams and Allen counties, should be allowed to take the seat while the contest is pending.

The house adjourned at 10:30 this morning, but the senate met again this afternoon.

The republicans in caucus this afternoon decided to increase the salary of the governor. The democrats oppose the measure.

COMMITTEE AT WEST POINT.

West Point, N. Y., Jan. 10.—Before the members of the congressional investigating comittee resumed their inquiries today into the charges of hazing at the military academy they visited the camp grounds and the field where many fights between cadets have occurred. Colonel Clayton, who is a graduate of the academy, explained the arrangement of the tents in the summer encampments to his brother committeemen, and when they visited the rink in the rear of the camp where the "stretching" process by which several cadets were hazed was discovered.

Cadet William R. Bettison, of Kentucky, was the first witness. He testified that Cadet Breth was his classmate and that Cadet Booz was a fourth-class man, while he (the witness) was a third-class man.

He never knew of Breth being hazed. Witness said he knew of five fights between cadets during his first year and was present at two of them.

Witness said there were nine fights during the year 1899-1900 and seven during the present year. Bettison recalled the names of the participants in nearly all these fights. He said none of these fights had been investigated by the authorities and consequently no one was punished. He had never been a principal in a fight, but had officiated at several, and was the chairman of the "scrapping committee," which decided when a fight was to be arranged.

MANY WERE KILLED.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 10.—The annual popular fete of Torpi-No-Ichi, in the Kanda district of Tokio, was the scene of a terrible accident recently. Great crowds attended the festival and when the affair was at its height a heavy rain began falling. A rush was made for shelter and a panic ensued. Twenty persons were crushed to death and 312 injured. Some of the buildings were burned by the upsetting of kerosene lamps.

A HITCH IN THE LAW.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 10.—President Hobart, of the Saengerfest club, when asked today concerning a statement published here that the Jeffries-Ruhlin contest was declared off, denied that any such action had been taken by the board. He admitted that the board has been notified that some legal complications have arisen. These, Mr. Hobart said, the board will consider today.

The People's Mutual Burial association will hold a meeting this evening at the office of the association, 46 Bank block.

THE STATE SOLONS

THE INDIANA LEGISLATURE IN SESSION.

ARTMAN ELECTED SPEAKER

GOVERNOR MOUNT'S MESSAGE IS READ.

DEALS WITH STATE ISSUES

RECOMMENDS ENACTMENT OF SEVERAL LAWS.

Indianapolis, Jan. 10.—The sixty-second general assembly of Indiana convened today. The feature of the first session was the farewell message of Governor Mount.

Governor-elect Durbin (rep.), will be inaugurated next Monday.

Governor Mount's message dealt with state affairs. He congratulated the people on the good condition of the public finances of the state, the public debt having been materially reduced during the past two years. He recommends a primary election law, a revision of the judiciary and the reorganizing of the state into court districts comprising several counties each and the placing of the state prison under non-partisan management. Concerning recent lynchings in Indiana Governor Mount says:

"The people of Indiana feel keenly the sting of reproach and the justice of the criticism heaped upon the state by reason of the brutal lynchings that have dishonored her good name. Lax enforcement of law brings its fruitage of contempt for law. The remedy must be found through the co-operation of good citizens in demanding a rigid enforcement of the law and not through mob violence."

A more stringent law is recommended.

The governor favors the election of United States senators by popular vote, and declares that kidnaping should be made, in extreme cases, punishable by death or imprisonment for life.

HOUSE ORGANIZATION.

The election of Sampel R. Artman, of Lebanon, as speaker of the house was the completion of a notable victory he had won before the republican caucus made him its unanimous choice last night. James F. Stutesman, of Peru, withdrew his candidacy during the day, leaving Artman a clear field. The house organized today as follows:

Speaker—Samuel R. Artman, of Lebanon.

Chief Clerk—William Easmann, of Indianapolis.

Assistant Clerk—D. B. J. Schafer, of South Bend.

Chief Doorkeeper—W. T. Murray, of Connersville.

Caucus Chairman—John A. Bonham, of Hartford City.

SENATE ORGANIZATION.

The senate caucus nominees were elected today as follows:

President Pro Tem.—Senator William R. Wood, of Lafayette.

Caucus Chairman—Senator Frederick A. Joss, of Indianapolis.

Principal Secretary—W. W. Huffman, of Anderson.

Assistant Secretary—Harmon L. Hutson, of Angola.

Doorkeeper—Clemmer Pelzer, of Evansville.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

The democratic members of the legislature met in caucus at the Grand hotel last night and selected the following honorary candidates for offices in the house and senate for the coming session:

HOUSE.

Speaker—Cyrus E. Davis, Bloomfield.

Principal Secretary—R. F. Stuart, Indianapolis.

Assistant Secretary—C. P. Hanna, Brown county.

Doorkeeper—Luther Van Fossen, Greencastle.

Caucus Chairman—Charles J. Murphy, Brookston.

SENATE.

President Pro Tem.—Eph Inman, Washington.

Principal Secretary—Bayard Gray, Frankfort.

Assistant Secretary—Edward Webber, Columbia City.

Doorkeeper—Jesse Siler, Carthage.

Caucus Chairman—W. E. Stillwell, Princeton.

Joint Caucus Chairman—Frank W. Cregor, Carthage.

Representative Milton T. McCarthy, of Burlington, placed in nomination for speaker George W. Loutitt, representative from Fort Wayne. His nomination was seconded by Henry V. Passage, representative from Peru.

Ira H. Lerr, representative from

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THE STATE SOLONS

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Merom, placed in nomination Cyrus E. Davis, representative from Bloomfield. His nomination was seconded by Representative Clay W. Metsker, of Plymouth, and Charles T. Myler, of Westfork. The nominations were then declared closed.

The ballot resulted as follows: Davis, 18; Louttit, 17. Following the announcement of the vote Mr. Davis made a short address, in which he thanked the members for the honor conferred upon him.

MOUNT'S LAST MESSAGE.

Following is the text of Governor Mount's last official message to the legislature, read to both branches today:

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:

You have been chosen to the high and responsible duties of legislators for this commonwealth. It is within your power to secure to the people of a state, whose highest aim is material advancement and wealth, all of happiness. Your duties are arduous, your responsibilities great. The time allotted for the multiplicity of duties before you is brief. It will therefore be needful that prompt attention be given to important measures that will be before you for your action. As a rule, the closing days of the legislature are so crowded with work that careful consideration cannot be given to pending bills.

It is made incumbent upon the executive under the constitution to call the attention of the general assembly to such questions as he may deem wise, and to lay before your honorable body the financial condition of the state, the wants and necessities of its various institutions.

THE STATE'S FINANCES.

The condition of the public finances of the state of Indiana are certainly a matter of congratulation to every citizen of the commonwealth. The debt paying policy has continued during the past two years until at the present time it can be safely predicted that all of the state's indebtedness that admits of payment will be paid within a time not exceeding four years should the specific appropriations of the coming legislature not be abnormally large. The amount of the state debt Jan. 10 of the present year was as follows:

Three per cent refunding school fund bonds, series 1889, $2,000,000; 3½ per cent refunders, series 1895, $355,000; 3½ per cent state house, series 1885, $300,000; state stock certificates (interest stopped), $5,615.12; 5 per cent bond, Purdue University, $300,000; 5 per cent bond, Indiana University, $100,000; total, $2,760,615.12.

Of the above amounts 3 per cent refunding school fund bonds, series 1889, amounting to $2,000,000 have an optional clause, and can be paid from time to time as the state has the means. The 3½ per cent refunding bonds included in the two series of 1895, amounting in the aggregate to $1,055,000, have no option clause and cannot be paid until 1915, the maturity of these bonds. The state's stock certificates, amounting to $5,615.12, were issued for internal improvements in connection with the building of the Wabash and Erie canal, and the probabilities are will never be presented for payment. During the two years past one certificate of this series, amounting to $1,000, has been paid. Notice was issued by the state years ago of its desire to pay these certificates, announcing that the interest would be stopped from that date, and with the exception of the payment above named, none other of these obligations have been presented. The 5 per cent bond due Purdue University, amounting to $300,000, will be due April 1 of the present year, and it was the desire of the state to pay the same. But an examination of the law under which congress made the land grant from which the proceeds of this bond were had, shows that the state guaranteed the interest in perpetuity, and as recommended in another part of this message, the legislature will be called upon to make some provision for the extension of that bond. The 5 per cent bond of the Indiana University is not due for a number of years. So that it will be seen that of the public debt of the state less than $3,000,000 is available in the near future for cancellation. There has been paid on the public debt in the past two years $1,000,000. These payments have been made from the state debt sinking fund of 3 cents on each $100, and an addition of $100,000 from the general fund. The legislature of 1899 made extraordinary specific appropriations consequent upon the necessities of the state institutions and the substantial improvement for the Indiana Reformatory at Jeffersonville. These appropriations, amounting to nearly $1,000,000, were more than double that of any preceding legislature for years past. Should the appropriations for the session of 1901 be of a normal amount the debt paying ability of the incoming administration will be substantially increased. It is my opinion that this policy of the state administration is the true one, and the record that has been made by which so much of the principal has been paid and the interest saved, is one that is and will continue to be of incalculable advantage to our commonwealth in the direction of welcoming capital and manufacturing enterprises, as well as the added benefits of substantial emigration. A state practically out of debt, with its income exceeding its expenses, and with its public affairs managed upon the plane of strict business fidelity, has those substantial elements that cannot fail to attach and attract a future full of hope and achievement.

The state debt sinking fund levy, 2 cents on the $100, now yields about $400,000 per annum. In my judgment this should be continued, and taking that amount as the basis, the surplus from the general fund that will accrue, with the average of appropriations previous to the session of 1899, will extinguish the available portion of the debt within the next four years.

The tax duplicate of Indiana amounts to $1,235,740,028, which is the largest in the history of the state. It is a source of congratulation that the system of taxation in Indiana by which corporate and all other forms of property are assessed at their true cash value, is largely responsible for this very gratifying aggregate of taxables of the commonwealth. What is known as the "seven hundred dollar mortgage deduction act," passed by the legislature of 1899, has not had the effect heralded by many who were opposed to this measure. While the deductions for the year 1899 were in round numbers $27,500,000, there was to offset this, an increase of $23,000,000 in the assessment of the personal property of the state, and of $6,414,646 in the assessment of corporate property.

The total taxes for all purposes, state and county, accruing from the duplicate amounted to $21,670,785.81. Of this amount, however, all the expenses of the general fund of the state and the state debt sinking fund are met on a levy of 17 cents on the $100, which is one of the very lowest levies of any of the states of the Union. Truly every citizen of Indiana can take pride in the admirable financial status of the state, contributory to the intelligent and just tax laws, and the faithfulness and fidelity in which the public business is being administered.

The estimate of receipts of taxes levied for the general fund, with the fees from state offices, together with the earnings of the state institutions and other income earning sources, amount practically to $2,500,000 annually for the coming two years. The estimated disbursements amount to $2,000,000 for the fiscal year 1902 and $2,067,500 for the fiscal year 1903. I would recommend that the present levies of 1 cents for the general fund and 3 cents for the benevolent institution fund should remain unchanged.

It is expected that the claim of the state against the general government providing the funds for the equipment and enlisting of the soldiers of Indiana in the war for the Union, will have a substantial payment made before the adjournment of the present congress. A bill has passed the senate and is now before the house, which if enacted into law, will give to the state near half a million dollars, that has been due as a result of expenditures for interest and discounts on loans that were made and bonds that were carried in providing the ways and means incident to Indiana's quota of soldiers in the war for the Union, and for which the treasury department has steadily refused payment. The Indiana delegation in congress has unanimously given its support to this bill, which makes provision for the payment of these disbarred items and it is not improbable that a large proportion of this just claim will after so many years be paid. I cannot too strongly urge upon the legislature a purpose on their part to be careful and economical in the matter of specific and general appropriations.

The citizens of this state desire the appropriation of every necessary dollar that will keep the public institutions and the public interests abreast with the marvelous material development of the state, and to that extent the legislature should cheerfully respond, but if this commonwealth is to preserve the fame it has achieved in its record for debt paying and finally be relieved of the burden of interest bearing bonds, it must be on such lines of legislation that will not extravagantly nor unnecessarily vote one dollar of appropriation that is not essential for a practical and deserved purpose.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

The primary convention is the basic foundation of good government. The men chosen at these conventions determine, in large measure, the character of the men who are to make and execute the laws. In some of the large cities, the methods of conducting the primary conventions are anything but assuring. A law that would eliminate the evil now attending some of these conventions and guarantee a free and untrammeled expression from the voters, without cumbersome provisions and expensive paraphernalia would meet with favor.

ELECTION BRIBERY.

The corruption of the ballot, through the purchase of votes, is a menace to free government. This dangerous evil is growing, and has already reached alarming conditions. Success in a campaign is becoming more and more contingent upon boodle instead of principle and merit. The number of men who put their votes on the market are increasing. What is the fruitage of this deplorable tendency? Men of wealth, instead of ability, have the preference. Syndicates, monopolies, trusts, corporations are solicited for large campaign contributions, thus placing the parties their debtor. Wealth has undue influence in molding laws. Hence the tendency of legislation is not so much in the interest of the man who holds the plow or wields the hammer, who works in the mine or factory, as in the interest of the men who furnished the "boodle" in the campaign. The present dangerous and disreputable methods must be stopped. Both the seller and the buyer of votes should be punished by disfranchisement, by fine and imprisonment.

THE INSANE.

A long step was taken by the last legislature toward providing for the insane of the state. Still larger provisions must be made. It is the duty of the state to provide for its unfortunate wards. The speedy administration of treatment to those bereft of reason always increases the chances for recovery. Delay in such attention is attended with unfavorable results. The aggregate number of inmates in the four insane hospitals is 2,502 divided as follows: Central, 1,033; northern, 601; eastern, 593; southern, 575. Both the condition and management of these institutions are to be commended. They are controlled by able and experienced superintendents.

A large number of epileptics are now cared for in different institutions at public expense. Some in the insane hospitals, and some in the school for feeble-minded. The attention of the legislature is called to this important question. There are in our prisons and reformatories a number of insane. There are no facilities for their suitable care. It is unwise to remove them to the insane hospitals. There are in those hospitals insane criminals, who have been transferred from the prisons. These are in a degree a dangerous and disturbing element. I recommend that a suitable place be provided, having in view their treatment and safe keeping. This should be adjacent to one of the smaller hospitals, and under the management of the same.

THE JUDICIARY.

Two years ago I called the attention of the legislature to the growing need of revising the judiciary of the state. In the vetoing of court bills, I likewise emphasized this need. Demand for new court districts comes with each assembling of the lawmaking power. In some instances there is apparent need for relief to the crowded docket, but in many courts there is not business to occupy one-half of the time of an industrious court. The present method of relief intensifies this inequality. It often makes two courts where one could do the work, thus increasing expenses unnecessarily. If the present rule is followed and increasing demands granted, in the near future there will be a separate circuit court for each county, while the larger counties, with competing cities, will demand two courts of concurrent jurisdiction, as was done in the last session of the legislature in thus creating two courts in the counties of Lake and Laporte, with all needed appliances, thus burdening the people unnecessarily with taxation. Courts are multiplying more rapidly than litigation, and court expenses at a more rapid rate than courts. This increase of courts is attended with a growing evil. A leading lawyer of the bar in a county is chosen judge. He being interested as an attorney is disqualified from acting as judge in much of the litigation. Hence the need of a special judge with additional expense to be paid by the state for performing the duties for which another judge is paid by fixed salary. With such unmethodical and unwise system, is it any wonder that the taxpayers realize that the levy increases more rapidly than the assessment list? This growing expense can be obviated and existing inequalities removed through the reorganization of the state into court districts comprising several counties, equalizing as nearly as possible the work of the several districts, and providing for the number of judges to correspond with the size of said districts. The judges thus chosen and following succession would remove the need of special judges. Such a system would secure the best legal talent in the district, better maintain the dignity of the courts, and the methods of the best judge would be likely to become the rule in transacting business in the circuit. Under such a system fewer judges than we now have would transact business better, save the expense of special judges which amounted to over $30,000 in the past two years, an amount sufficient to pay the salary of 12 judges for one year, and in the aggregate save multiplied thousands of dollars of expense, while at the same time securing to the people what the constitution contemplates, that "justice shall be administered freely and without purchase, complete and without denial, speedy and without delay."

THE SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

Indiana is justly proud of the splendid tribute paid to her soldiers and sailors in the monument erected to their memory. This silent monitor, voiceless yet eloquent, tells of the suffering and the sacrifice in the nation's defense. It belongs to the state. Its view should never be obstructed nor free approach trammeled. I earnestly recommend the enactment of a law that will forbid its desecration and a repetion of the scenes of last fall, when it was surrounded by a wall of boards and by conditions neither conducive to patriotism or good morals. In short, it should under no circumstances be used for any other purpose than that for which it was originally designed. It is not a subject for sacrilege.

NONPARTISAN CONTROL.

In the management of the state institutions the welfare of the inmates, the good name of the state, has been kept constantly in view. The maximum in efficiency with the minimum in cost have been the objective points. The merit and not the spoils system now dominates. The per capita cost has been reduced. The secretary of the state board of charities, when asked as to the difference in the cost of the present nonpartisan control as compared with partisan rule, reports a per capita saving amounting in the aggregate to over $300,000 annually, and the inmates receiving better care than ever before. I recommend the enactment of a law placing the Indiana state prison under nonpartisan management. This rule now obtains there, but not by direct process of law.

The Indiana Industrial School for Girls and Woman's Prison should be separated, but retained under one management. It is a shame that an infant should, for no other reason than poverty, be sent to an institution to which are committed the "immoral," the "vicious," the "incorrigible," the "depraved." Such infants who have committed no crime and are not incorrigible, should be placed in orphans' homes or in the care of the state agency of the board of state charities.

I wish to call attention of the general assembly to the efforts of the present management of the state library to make more easily accessible by systematic arrangement, cataloguing and indexing the contents of the library. I should like also to commend the request of the state librarian for larger appropriations for the collection and preservation of materials relating to the early history of the state.

I desire to commend the splendid management of the School for the Feeble Minded. The degenerate and imbecile class should not be turned loose upon society when they have passed the age limit now provided by law. Good judgment and sound economic sense would approve of enlarging the facilities for caring for feeble-minded or imbecile women of child-bearing age. At present many of these women are in county infirmaries or living where they are exposed to the passion of depraved men, and are multiplying a race of dependents to be a further burden to the state. These women are a menace to good morals, and are multiplying a race of dependents, thus laying the foundation for growing evil and enlarged public charge. Additional land should be purchased and this institution enlarged. This would give increased opportunity for Superintendent Johnson to exercise his splendid executive ability. The thickyard and the farm have demonstrated this ability. Mr. Johnson is not paid a salary commensurate with his service, or in keeping with the salaries paid to other state officers.

STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE

The energy and ability displayed by this board in securing the finest exhibit, last fall, ever shown in the state, is worthy of commendation. The unfavorable weather was discouraging and prevented the state fair from being a great success financially. The state is making commendable advancement in the improvement of livestock of all kinds. In horticulture, in growth of the cereals—in short, in all its agricultural interests, our state takes high rank. Much of this progress is due to our state fair. The fair belongs to the state. With commendable pride all our people should encourage and patronize the fair, which should be represented by mechanical skill and fine arts, as well as agricultural interests.

LABOR COMMISSIONERS.

With commendable wisdom and zeal the state labor commissioners have discharged their responsible duties. But little disturbance over scale of wages has occurred. The workingmen of the various industries and interests of the state are industrious and law abiding. The commissioners have been a potent factor in securing an amicable adjustment of all labor troubles. The public has an interest in the peaceable adjustment of industrial disputes, and where the public is made to suffer loss and inconvenience, where public carriers are stopped, travel and traffic suspended, perishable commodities in transit in market endangered, life and property jeopardized, the power of a court of arbitration should be enlarged. It is against public policy to allow local differences to menace the general safety and welfare of communities at large.

THE LOBBYIST.

The lobbyist is becoming more and more an element of danger in our lawmaking assemblies. They are often the paid agents of promoters of questionable schemes, the hired tools of syndicates, corporations—working not for public weal, but for the promotion of the ambition or greed of adventurers, whose servants they are. The professional lobbyist is a foe to good government, and merits the righteous condemnation of those who have uppermost in their desires the good of the people.

STATE HOUSE REPAIRS.

This magnificent capitol should be kept in good repair. An appropriation sufficient to this end is wise. It is false economy to neglect the plumbing and repairs of public buildings. The capitol should be held strictly for public business. Any state official organizations should be permitted to occupy the state house, but for the benefit of promiscuous organizations and assemblages the taxpayers of the state should not be at the expense of providing halls. The grounds should not be used for any purpose that will damage the grass, plants or trees.

PROBATION LAW.

I earnestly recommend the enactment of a law authorizing the judge at his discretion, for first offense, to suspend sentence upon juvenile offenders during good behavior. Such a law would save many youths from the stigma of a prison sentence, keep them away from the demoralizing influences of such environments, and be the means of reclaiming juvenile offenders from criminal ways.

UNIFORM LAWS.

It has been well said, "Science and invention, steam and electricity, know nothing of state boundaries. Trade and commerce, education and enterprise, give the whole country in common interests and need the kindly guardianship of uniform laws." The national conference of lawyers, looking to uniformity of laws, indorsed, and Indiana's representatives in this convention recommended, the enactment of a uniform law concerning negotiable instruments, the execution of wills, also divorce law. The wisdom of uniform laws upon these questions is too manifest to need comment in their favor.

MORTGAGE EXEMPTION.

It is a grave question whether any exemption other than that provided in the constitution should be allowed in our tax system. The mortgage exemption law enacted by the last legislature is manifestly more just than any other exemption now permitted. Where no mortgage exemption is permitted the owner of a home is often forced to pay taxes on two or three times as much property as he possesses free from mortgage encumbrance, while the investor in intangible securities often escapes paying any taxes, no matter what his securities or his investment is worth in the open market. Such system discourages the purchase of a home by the poor man. The ownership of a home creates a local interest in all that is elevating and tends to local progress. Both wisdom and equity plead for fair play to the home-getter.

REFORM LAWS.

There is a growing sentiment in favor of strict economy and business integrity in the management of county and township business. The laws recently enacted looking to this end have in the main been wise. Some little amendments may be added, but the principle of these laws must be maintained. More than half a million dollars have been saved to the taxpayers annually through the county reform laws. Multiplied thousands of dollars have been saved to the taxpayers under these new laws. The saving in poor relief costs makes a marvelous showing. The general testimony of relief-giving officers is that, notwithstanding this reduction, no needy person has suffered. The existing business conditions, by reason of which our people are generally employed, have been very favorable to the inauguration of the new law and have, doubtless, to some extent, operated in the reduction made. It is worthy of note that there are, also, less inmates in county infirmaries.

The state board of health, with commendable zeal, has studied sanitary conditions, and promptly combatted the first appearance of infectious and contagious diseases. Many valuable suggestions are presented in their annual report. The state should sacredly guard the public health.

GOOD ROADS.

Good thoroughfares facilitate intercommunication among farmers and between the country towns and cities. These remove much of the disadvantage caused by the isolation of rural life. Good roads are needful to social development and intellectual progress. They add to the material prosperity of the country at large. Rural free delivery of mail is destined to do much to elevate farm life. Road improvement is one of the conditions needful to secure these advantages. All classes of people are benefited when roads are improved. The act of two years ago, placing the free gravel roads under the control of the supervisors instead of the county commissioners, was a disastrous mistake and should be promptly repealed. The county commissioners, under whose supervision these roads were constructed, should have control of repairs. They should appoint local superintendents, who, under their direction, should keep these roads in good condition. The commissioners are thus brought in contact with all the local superintendents, and, through the reports of these men, become acquainted with the methods of the most successful, which soon become the rules governing all. From personal observation and careful inquiry, I am convinced of the importance of this change.

If the supervisors enforce the law which requires service on the highways, and faithfully execute the law in regard to working out road taxes, a noted improvement in the roads would result therefrom. Both in my inaugural address and in my biennial message, I called attention to the unfair methods in vogue whereby the road assessment on railroads was farmed out through an agent who takes from the railroad at a large discount their assessment, makes a deal with the road supervisor, gets the receipt in full for the assessment, and turns the same over to the railroads, who use these receipts as cash in payment of taxes. The railroads are assessed for taxation in round numbers at $151,000,000. The average road tax is about 20 cents on the $100, thus creating a road tax of about $300,000. It is safe to say that $120,000 of this amount is not expended for highway improvement as contemplated by law. This high-handed injustice has continued long enough. From an editorial in one of the local papers in the state, I learned in one instance that all this road tax was misappropriated in a road district, and the supervisor who was guilty of this offense was convicted and is now in prison. I earnestly call the attention of the legislature again to this iniquitous practice.

All road taxes should be paid in cash, reserving to the payer the right to work out the same, provided he responds at the time and in the manner required by the supervisor, accepting the lawful price for such labor, and performing service in full for all receipts given.

LYNCHING.

The people of Indiana feel keenly the sting of reproach and the justice of the criticism heaped upon the state by reason of the brutal lynchings that have dishonored her good name. That the lynched committed a brutal crime is no justification for dethroning law and courts of justice, and establishing mob violence at the behest of infuriated and impassioned men. Where lynch lawlessness obtains, safety to person and property is lost. A mob is an assembly of lawless men acting in defiance to law. Can such men administer justice? Lax enforcement of law brings its fruitage of contempt for law. It is cause for regret that some of our courts daily with criminals, and allow criminal lawyers, by various methods, to delay trial and often to defeat the ends of justice. The remedy for this must not be sought through the commission of crimes more grievous than that committed by the accused in court. The remedy must be found through the cooperation of good citizens in demanding a rigid enforcement of the law, and not through mob violence.

The law abiding people must be willing to testify as witnesses, serve on juries, and see that courageous, true men are selected as judges and prosecutors. The lynchings that have marred the good name of our state and disgraced the cause of justice by revolting murder demand heroic remedy. I trust the legislature will enact further laws that will prove a wholesome remedy against further dishonor.

There is a growing sentiment in favor of the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people. Many of the state legislatures have adopted resolutions favoring an amendment to the constitution giving to the people the right to choose their senators by direct vote. Such action on the part of this general assembly would reflect the will of a large majority of our people.

THE TRUST PROBLEM.

I hope the present general assembly will wisely and courageously meet the grave questions which the greed of monopoly has forced to the front. The line of demarcation between the legitimate functions of large investments of capital, independently controlled, and the combination of industries into a gigantic monopoly, for the purpose of influencing markets and the gratification of the spirit of avarice, are so diverse that the good may not be placed under ban with the evil. During the past two years monopolistic tendency has been the rule. Small industries have been absorbed and dismantled. Healthy competition, in many instances, destroyed, large industries closed, prices forced upward by arbitrary methods, all of which constitute dangerous conspiracies against the public good. Large investments of capital, independently controlled, and not exercising arbitrary methods in restraint of trade and healthy competition, are beneficiaries and should be commended. In the limited space that can appropriately be given to a message, I must be content to point out the need, and leave to the wisdom of the legislature to provide the remedy.

SUNDRY SUGGESTIONS.

Among the sundry recommendations is one for a liberal appropriation for Purdue university; for some measure looking to the practical improvement of the Kankakee river valley; for a suitable appropriation for the State Library Commission; acknowledgments to the Chickamauga National Park commission; an increase in the appropriation for the board of state charities; a study of the work of the fee and salary commission. Attention is called to a proposition to change the location of the girls' reformatory and woman's prison and the institute for the deaf and dumb; a protest is uttered against the arbitrary control of the rate of fire insurance by combinations of underwriters; an increase of the sum set apart for farmers' institutes is urged; the public school system is commended; a law making kidnapping for ransom punishable by death or life imprisonment is recommended; the Toledo and Buffalo expositions are commended; the erection of a governor's residence is suggested. In conclusion the governor says:

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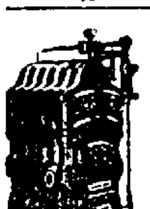

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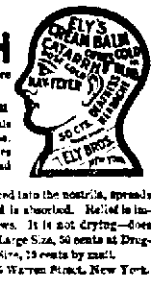

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LOCAL LINES.

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Mrs. Mason, of Lakeside, is quite ill with pleurisy.

Allen Snyder is transacting business in Indianapolis.

Capt. A. H. Dougall is transacting business in Indianapolis.

Miss Elizabeth Sihler is visiting relatives in Adrian, Mich.

Mrs. George Potter entertained the Winter Picnic club yesterday.

G. W. Cook, of Cleveland, Ohio, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Will Baade entertained the Sans Souci club yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Clifford Endley, of Springfield, O., is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Geiger.

Mrs. Ernst Boester is able to be about again after an illness of several weeks.

Miss Lizzie Paul entertained the members of the Mimosa club Wednesday evening.

Miss Persis Sawtelle has returned home to Toledo after a visit with Miss Mary Evans.

Dr. Mason is in Indianapolis where he is attending a meeting of the state dental board.

Herman Bittler left yesterday to resume his studies at Capitol university, Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Charles Felske, of Kokomo, who has been the guest of Miss Grace Crosby, has returned home.

Next Wednesday evening Miss Vera Graffe will entertain the Wednesday Evening Pedro club.

Will Albersmeyer was tendered a surprise party Tuesday evening in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Minnich are visiting friends in Toledo and will visit in Battle Creek before returning home.

Col. and Mrs. R. S. Robertson gave a dinner party last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster, of Terre Haute.

Ethel, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gosjean, of 460 South Calhoun street, is ill with diphtheria.

The Young People's club of the Jefferson Street Church of Christ will hold a business meeting on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones are entertaining Mrs. James H. Clark, of Toledo, and Miss Elizabeth Wade, of Jamestown, N. Y.

Bishop Alerding and Rev. John Durham have gone to Rensselaer college, where the bishop will make his first official visit.

Shiloh Chapter No. 141, Order of the Eastern Star, will install officers this evening and will enjoy a banquet after the ceremonies.

Rev. L. J. Naftzger, of Muncie, is in the city today. He is one of the best known ministers in the North Indiana M. E. conference.

Dr. S. H. Havice, treasurer of the College of Medicine, lost $55 somewhere between his office and the Old National bank yesterday.

The Ladies' Aid society of Bethel Evangelical church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Lehman, 618 South Calhoun street.

The Ladies' Aid society of the South Congregational church met at the home of Mrs. Lehman, 209 Hoagland avenue, this afternoon.

George Grothers, a young business man at Kansas City, who has been visiting his mother and sisters in this city, has returned to his western home.

Prof. A. Crull and Dr. Eric Crull have been called to Port Huron, Mich., on account of the serious illness of Prof. Crull's daughter, Mrs. Borneman.

Miss Carolina Von Weber, a noted vocal instructor from Chicago, has organized classes here and will come to the city twice each week to give instruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nestel, of 22 Scott avenue, left at noon yesterday for Rochester, N. Y., to visit friends. On the return trip Mr. ad Mrs. Nestel will visit for a time at Toledo.

W. H. Starke, of the Wayne hotel, will entertain a company of friends at his home, 45 Spy Run avenue, Friday evening, January 18, in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Henry Stocking is very seriously ill at his home, 80 Lake avenue, as the result of a congestive chill and but slight hopes are entertained of his recovery. Mr. Stocking is in his eighty-third year.

Charles McNally, of the Findlay road, is critically ill at St. Joseph hospital from Bright's disease. His condtion is such that little hope is entertained of his recovery. Mr. McNally is a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

J. W. Barnes, who has been in poor health for several years, is now confined to his bed. Mr. Barnes is a veteran of the civil war, and his illness is the result of a gunshot wound received at the battle of Fair Oaks. The bullet received on that occasion is still imbedded in Mr. Barnes' right leg.

Before leaving for college to resume his studies, John Wessel entertained a large part yof friends at his home on St. Martin's street. Progressive pedro was the chief diversion, and first prizes were won by Miss A. Grimme and Tom Ehinger, while Miss Ella Franke and Frank Kehoe were awarded the consolations. An elaborate supper was served at the close of the playing.

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Miss Anna Eckart gave a small dinner party last evening.

Rabbi Frederick Cohn has returned from a business trip to Indianapolis.

Mrs. H. W. TenBroeck and son have returned from a visit in Grand Rapids.

Fort Wayne lodge No. 116, K. of P., will give a banquet Tuesday evening, January 22.

The Misses Lena and Olive Cornwall have returned from a visit in Hicksville, Ohio.

Mrs. Ben Ninde was guest of honor at a luncheon given today by Miss Catherine Hamilton.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Parker, of St. Joseph township, twins—a son and daughter.

Senator Will Ryan has gone to Indianapolis to attend the session of the general assembly.

Editor F. E. Miner, of the South Whitley News, was a business visitor in the city on Wednesday.

Dr. C. M. Crane has gone to Dayton, where he was called on account of the death of his fiancee.

Court No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will install officers and enjoy a banquet on Monday evening.

Miss Ella Talmage will go to Memphis, Tenn., Saturday for an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. D. C. Stout and daughter, Frances, have returned from a visit with friends in Monroeville.

Miss Carlie Olds will entertain the Saturday Euchre club this week, assisted by Miss Esther Smith.

The large curved plate glass front at Wolf Bros., which was broken when it was first put in, was being replaced with a new one Wednesday. The new plate was found too large and in attempting to cut it to the required size it was broken again. It will be patched temporarily and another new front ordered. The work was being done by a Chicago contracting firm and the loss will fall on them. The glass is valued at between $200 and $300.

TELEPHONE TROUBLES.

The severe rain and sleet storm last evening caused much trouble on the telephone lines. While no actual damage was done it was impossible for a time to converse over the lines on account of the roaring caused by short circuits and crossed wires. The Bell company experienced the most trouble, their lines having been crossed by the electric light wires, and it was not until late this morning that the trouble was located.

NAILED THE CHAP.

Her Father in the Same Mind.

"I never thought for one moment that coffee was the cause of my worn out feeling and dull headaches and energy all gone, until I began to notice that my bad feelings came on every morning after drinking coffee for breakfast, no matter how well I felt when I got up.

"I began to think the subject over and finally decided to try Postum Food Coffee in place of common coffee and see if it was coffee that had been hurting me. After making the change, I discovered, to my delight, that the headache and worn out feeling did not come on after breakfast.

"After a very thorough trial I am fully convinced that coffee was the cause of my trouble, and that leaving it off and using Postum Food Coffee has restored me to health.

"My father, who has had very poor health for several years, quit coffee some time ago and began using Postum in place of it. It would surprise anyone to see how much he has improved.

"When I boil Postum twenty minutes and serve it immediately while it is hot, with good rich cream, I think it far excels any coffee.

"Please do not print my name."

This lady lives in Prairie City, Ia. Her name can be given by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., of Battle Creek, Mich.

MR. GOULD TONIGHT.

At the assembly room of the court house this evening Edwin F. Gould, editor of the Indianapolis Union and one of the most brilliant labor orators in the west, will deliver an address under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Council and the Union Label League. Mr. Gould's subject will be "Union Labels," and it is certain that those who attend will be well repaid. Mr. Gould is a gifted speaker who presents his facts in a vivid manner and with an earnestness that never fails to be impressive. There is no admission charged and the invitation is extended to all.

Concerning Mr. Gould a Marion paper says:

"Many who need that higher education which teaches the unity of humanity and the brotherhood of man could learn from his lectures that which but few men in our state can teach, and none can surpass him except it be the one great teacher, E. V. Debs.

"By many examples told in incidents and anecdotes of facts in a great experience, Mr. Gould impressed the minds of his listeners with lasting impressions that no one can forget. He told us how Wall street in New York and Threadneedle street in London, by the manipulation of railroad corporations, forced farmers in the west to burn food for fuel and mine owners got three profits on their prices for coal, while the people in the east were suffering with hunger. He told us how the woman wage slave, after her young life was passed in drudgery, was destroyed in soul and body by the same system of competition in labor and wage earners' life-destroying conditions which prevail in a country boasting of freedom and equality in birth.

"While listening to his recitals of wrongs endured by women and children, caused by the infernal industrial system under which we live, sometimes the audience would show how their sympathies were aroused by the tears dropping from half-blinded eyes. Then again, at some apt story of a political intrigue to exploit the workers, laughter and applause showed the appreciation of the speaker's hits and comparisons."

WILSON-COYLE.

Miss Emma J. Coyle, of this city, was united in marriage at 6 o'clock last evening to Joseph W. Wilson, of Hicksville, Ohio, the ceremony being performed by Rev. A. K. Zartman, pastor of Grace Reformed church, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Dietrich, of 120 Greely street. After the ceremony a quiet little wedding celebration was held, the guests being immediate friends of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside in Hiksville.

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Every man and woman can do it by having their clothing made by G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 East Berry Street. 27-tf

THOMAS STREET PAVEMENT

The time to sign for bonds on this pavement expires Saturday, January 12. If you intend to bond call at office.

HENRY C. BERGHOFF,
2-7-10 Comptroller.

THE PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION CALENDAR

For 1901, issued by the Nickel Plate road, will be mailed to any one sending their address to the General Passenger Agent at Cleveland, Ohio.
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U. S. Stamps give special inducements for the new year in better goods and larger premiums than ever. 13th,sa, m&wtf

ATTENTION, MACCABEES.

All members of Wayne Tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M., are requested to attend the next review on Thursday, the 10th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Business of importance to be transacted.

J. C. WILLIAMS, Com.
J. W. HALL, R. K.
9-10

LOST.

LOST—Last night—Bill book containing certificate of deposit and promissory note and cash. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward.

LOST—Llewlyn setter dog, answers to name of "Pat;" white, with small brown spot and large brown spot covering right eye. Return to W. J. Lonergan, 511 S. Lafayette St., and receive reward. 8t3

WANTED.

WANTED—Washings to do at home; will call for and deliver same. 156 Wallace. 7-10t

WANTED—Agents to canvas for a 10c article. Apply A. C. Pennington, 300 Hanna St. 10-3t

WANTED—A girl for general housework, small family. Call at 319 E. Washington street. 4tf

WANTED—A good, competent girl for general housework. Apply at 302 W. Washington. 4tf

WANTED—Girl for second work; must come well recommended. Apply Mrs. Bulson, 55 W. Wayne St. 10-2t

WANTED—Two young men at once to handle luminous signs. Call after 4 p. m. at No. 9 Columbia ave. 9t12

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

WANTED—A few boarders by a private family; price of room with board $3.50 per week. Inquire at 190 East Wayne St. 8-4t

WANTED—Handsome young man of means wants to marry a gentle, loving and amiable lady. Address Box 426, Anderson, Ind. 10-2t

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms at 110 West Jefferson; one on first floor and one on second floor; very pleasant and reasonable. 9-2t

WANTED—A couple of active men who are Odd Fellows in good standing and good talkers; permanent position; liberal salary. Address D 1, care Sentinel.

WANTED—An idea; the patent route is the shortest road to wealth, besides you are sure of good company. W. G. Burns, Patent Attorney, 80 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Every man, woman, and child to call at the Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000. Interest paid on deposits. 8tf

WANTED—Employment office, at Mrs. Fitzgerald's, removed to 39 W. Washington St.; wanted cooks for in and out of city; second girls and girls for general housework; good wages; no charges to girls; have housekeeper, good reference. 16-tf

WANTED—Coins, gold dollars, halves, quarters and $3 pieces, U. S. fractional currency, 3c, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c (paper); large U. S. cents and half cents; flying eagle cents 1856; rare old U. S. stamps. A good premium will be paid for any of these. Apply, Dr. J. A. Williams, 98 Calhoun St., upstairs. 12-14 1mo

WANTED—You to escape La Grippe, Catarrh, Pneumonia, Neuralgia, and Rheumatic pains, serious acute sickness, throat, lung and heart trouble. Be wise in time. Own the Oxygenor King. Leased or sold on easy terms. Rooms 3 and 4 Schmitz Block. Phone, office, 580; residence, 1483. C. W. Bussard, Manager. 12-24-1m

MONEY TO LOAN—Money to loan at 4½ and 5 per cent, with privilege of partial payments; also money loaned on personal security; property for sale. P. A. & F. P. Randall, Bass Block, Fort Wayne, d-wtf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. 24 W. Berry St. 1-8-1m

FOR RENT—Two 6-room cottages; rent reasonable. Apply at 35 Bank Block. 31-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with bath and gas. Inquire, 22 West Main St. 12-1mo.

FOR RENT—No. 247 East Wayne, modern, $10; 109 East Berry, modern, and No. 401 South Hanna, eight rooms and barn. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR RENT—One handsome furnished room in private family; all modern conveniences; centrally located; references required. Address, Box 8, this office 7tf

FOR RENT—A store room; 40 Maumee Ave, which has been occupied continuously for ten years as a grocery; living rooms very convenient and a part of the building; rent reasonable. Inquire at 42 Maumee Ave. 3-tf

FOR RENT—Dwellings Nos. 187 W. Berry St., 273 W. Wayne St., 330 W. Washington St., 208 W. De Wald St., 331 West Jefferson St., 32 E. Berry St., office rooms; 33 St. Mary's Ave.; property to sell and money to loan. Schrader & Wilson, No. 7 Court St. 10-tf

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Flour and feed store cheap at 112 ... 9-9t

FOR SALE—Stand truck, horse, wagon and harness at a bargain. 96 Wall St. 9-8t

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column, Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18-tf

FOR SALE—Two nice homes in Lakeside; will be sold at a sacrifice on account encumbrance. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A choice farm, south of city; belongs to heirs and must sell; it is certainly a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage, with barn, West Williams street; pavement paid; only $1,450. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New double house, slate roof, two bath rooms; rents $324; price $3,200; will take some trade. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—I will sell the Updike residence, 46 Huestis avenue, for Ohio parties, regardless of value. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new 7-room house and full lot, corner Holton Ave., near Bowser's factory; only $1,300. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Eighty-one acre farm, suitable for dairy, three miles s. w. of city, near McMaken farm; only $55 per acre. W. E. Doud, over old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Fifty-foot corner lot, with six-room cottage house, nearly new, East Washington street; cut from $2,600 to $2,350. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A lovely modern home; on Creighton, between Calhoun and Webster; guaranteed to suit the most fastidious, even as to price. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and top buggy; horse seven years old, good driver and safe; outfit in good condition; will sell for $100; worth more money. Call at 415 S. Calhoun street. 2-tf

FOR SALE—We still have some very good bargains in men's, women's and children's shoes that we sell at one-half price; please call and bring this "ad" with you and we will show that our statement is true. Libbing & Co., 39 E. Main St.

FOR SALE—At a bargain if sold at once, a very desirable residence on West Main street, within ten minutes walk of the court house; soft water, bath and all modern improvements. For further information address, K. M., care Letter Carrier No. 5. 27-1mo

FOR SALE—A first-class brick house on Baker street; must be sold. Also two good seven-room houses on Walton Ave. These houses are new. Well sell on part payment down; balance monthly payments. Who wants a fine lot on W. Wayne St? Will build for you on these lots. Come and see me and find out particulars. L. F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 1-3-tf

FOR SALE—Or trade—Land for good city property. One 500 acre tract, good buildings; one 262 acre tract, good buildings; two 40 acre tracts, good buildings; two 40 acre tracts, without buildings; one fine 40 acre tract, prepared for 2,000 chickens, and plenty of good buildings; 280 acre tract, with good buildings on; one 3 acre tract, good buildings; one brick hotel of 24 rooms, at Avilla, Ind. All in Allen county, Ind. For further particulars, call on R. C. Niswonger & Co., 18 Harrison St., Fort Wayne. 6-26-d&w-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; all modern improvements; also one nice furnished room, with or without board, at 114 Clinton St. 5-6t

FOR RENT—The two store rooms fronting on Berry street, in Ninde block, northwest corner of Berry and Harrison streets. Inquire at the Old National bank. 8-tf

FOR RENT—A pleasant furnished room with board; can also accommodate a few table boarders; bath and all conveniences; terms reasonable. 29 East Washington St. 6-1mo

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either on Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; also dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1062, new 'phone. 10tf

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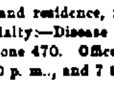

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

THURSDAY, JAN. 10, 1901.

TONIGHT.

- Board of Public Works—Regular meeting.
- Isaac Knapp Dental Coterie—Regular meeting at Miss French's office.
- Knights of Labor—Regular meeting at K. of L. hall.
- Waist Factory Employes—Regular meeting at Red Men's hall.
- Commercial Club—Regular meeting in club rooms in Odd Fellows' block.
- [illegible]shoers—Regular meeting at br[illegible] Harrison streets, up[illegible] 3,40[illegible]
- [illegible]—Regular meeting of No. [illegible] 138 Calhoun street, third [illegible]
- Political Workers—Regular meeting of No. 138 at 29 East Berry street.
- Newsboys—Regular meeting in city hall, third floor.
- Lathers—Regular meeting of No. 34 at 64 East Main street, third floor.
- Lodges—Fort Camp No. 656, Royal Neighbors of America; Ben Hur Court No. 96; Wayne Tent No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Summit City No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Modern American Fraternal Order; Fort Wayne Commandery No. 4, Knights Templar; Fort Wayne Camp No. 1656, Royal Neighbors; Wayne Council No. 7, Fort Wayne Life Annuity; Wayne Commandery, Benevolent Legion.
- Masonic Temple—Week's events: Thursday evening—"Social Maids." Friday evening—Memorial benefit entertainment for the family of the late C. L. Drummond, under the auspices of the Press club.
- Labor Address—By Edwin F. Gould, of Indianapolis, in assembly room of the new court house.

The progress of Mr. Artman's cinch on the speakership of the Indiana house has been interesting, but the result was not unexpected. Just why Artman should be so inevitable is not clear.

Wholly aside from the question whether a big or little house is the more efficient in transacting public business it is ridiculous to assume that a change of less than 30 in either direction, on a base total of 300, would make any important difference.

To judge from the startling suspicions of some of our electricians and astronomers, the people on the planet Mars may be making a desperate effort to communicate with the inhabitants of the earth. What can it be they want to tell us that we ought to know? Is it possibly, with their superior wisdom, that they could divulge the whereabouts of Pat Crowe and Aguinaldo, and foretell the fate of the subsidy steal?

The senate has accepted the house provision of the army bill abolishing the army canteen, or post exchange where beer is sold to the soldiers. There now seems little prospect that the provision will not become a part of the law, notwithstanding most of the officers of the army have united in testifying that the canteen really promotes temperance by driving out of business the low groggeries that have always been numerous at the boundaries of military reservations. But the sentiment of the country seems unmistakably opposed to the quasi-partnership of the government in the saloon business under the canteen arrangement and both house and senate have yielded to this sentiment. The advocates of the anti-canteen law believe that it is not necessary for the government to become involved in any degree in the business of liquor-selling in order to do away with the evils of intemperance in the army.

It is probable that at the close of tonight's meeting of the Commercial club the auditorium project will be seen in a more distinct light. The matter is to be discussed and without doubt a definite plan of organization and method of procedure will be the outcome of the session. The meeting is of interest to all members of the club and to everybody in Fort Wayne and its conclusions will be awaited with something akin to impatience. The enterprise has been going well through the preliminary stages and public sentiment is aroused to a lively pitch that ought to make the project feasible. If Fort Wayne is to have an auditorium the sooner it is built the better, and as more has been accomplished already than is likely to be the case again for a long time in event the matter should now be dropped, it behooves every citizen to do what he can to keep the ball rolling. There is no question asked as to the necessity for an auditorium in Fort Wayne and none asked as to the desirability of securing it as soon as possible. There ought, therefore, to be no room to question the possibility of raising the money needed. The interest of all the people in the matter will provide the funds in a short time, and no one will be obliged to assess himself very heavily for his share.

C. R. LANE IS PRESIDENT.

Charles R. Lane was the successful candidate for president of the Tippecanoe club, winning over W. A. Rundell by a vote of 32 to 28. The election was held Wednesday evening, and other officers chosen were as follows: First vice president, W. M. Geake; second vice president, F. D. Hoham; third vice president, Dr. G. B. M. Bower; financial secretary, Henry Bandau; corresponding secretary, Will A. Rundell; treasurer, Edwin Orr; executive board, W. E. Doud, Charles Archer, Fay Randall, William T. Jefferies, L. A. Johnson; entertainment committee, Will Schoch, Guy Gilbert, Harry Ballou; house committee, H. H. Hunting, Henry Ortman, Floyd D. Golden. The retiring president, H. W. TenBroek, who had declined a re-election, delivered a brief address of thanks for honors which had been conferred upon him and spoke hopefully of the future of the Tippecanoes. Other members followed with suggestions for the coming year and at the close of the routine business a visiting professional entertained the members with an exhibition of contortion. Friday evening the club will hold its ladies' social.

MARRIED IN CHICAGO.

At high noon today, in the Cathedral of the Holy Name at Chicago, occurred the wedding of Miss Mary Hedekin, of this city, and Frank McBennett, of Chicago. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Hedekin and is a most charming young lady, well known in society circles. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McBennett, of this city, and is engaged in the lumber business in Chicago. Those from Fort Wayne who attended the wedding were Mrs. T. B. Hedekin, Miss Clara Hedekin, the groom's mother, and his sister, Miss May McBennett. Mr. and Mrs. McBennett will be at home at 357 East Ontario street, Chicago. Mrs. Hedekin and Miss Clara Hedekin left later in the day for Mexico, where they will remain indefinitely.

IOWA STATESMAN DIES.

Montezuma, Iowa, Jan. 10.—Hon. E. W. Redman, speaker of the Iowa house of 1888, died suddenly at his home in Newton today. He was a member of the Loyal Legion and served with distinction in the war of the rebellion.

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25c. at Dreier & Bros.' drug store.

MARVIN IS WANTED

OHIO MAKES REQUISITION FOR KUHNS.

GOVERNOR HAS HONORED IT

PAPERS SERVED ON SHERIFF OF NOBLE COUNTY.

REWARD RAISED TO $1,000

KUHNS REPORTED AT CHURUBUSCO THIS WEEK.

Marvin Kuhns, who had apparently dropped out of sight for a few days, is again achieving notoriety. Reports as to his whereabouts are conflicting. Yesterday a Churubusco gentleman was in the city and stated that he had conversed with him the day before on the streets of that town, while other reports, apparently equally reliable, are to the effect that he has not been seen about his old haunts for a week or more. The latest, which is semi-official, gives rise to a well-founded belief that the Ohio officers are bestirring themselves and are trying to get him back to his old quarters at Columbus. From the following, taken from this morning's Indianapolis Journal, it appears that Sheriff Harry Bell, of Noble county, is not very anxious to take a chance with Marvin unless he is paid well for the risk. As Marvin is a good shot, has undaunted courage, and has frequently declared that he would not go back to the penitentiary alive, the sheriff is not much blamed for being in a hesitant mood. The Sentinel has nothing authentic from Mr. Kuhns' stamping ground and the following from the Indianapolis Journal is given for what it is worth:

"On last Saturday Governor Nash, of Ohio, sent to Governor Mount a requisition for the return from Noble county, Indiana, to Ohio, of the notorious criminal, Marvin Kuhns. The requisition was promptly honored by Governor Mount and the Ohio officer left at once for Noble county to serve the papers on the sheriff. The sheriff, it is understood, said he would make the attempt to arrest Kuhns. Instead of going about his work immediately, however, he wrote a letter to Governor Nash, of Ohio, in which he dwelt at length upon the desperate character of the man wanted and intimated very strongly that he thought a reward of $1,000 should be offered by the Ohio authorities for the arrest of Kuhns.

"Governor Nash consented to this and notified the Noble county sheriff that a reward of $1,000 would be paid for the safe delivery of Kuhns into the hands of the Ohio officials. It seems that even after this the sheriff had some hesitancy about going ahead with the undertaking, for yesterday Governor Mount received a letter from Governor Nash, in which the latter stated that the sheriff of Noble county had so far failed to secure the arrest of Kuhns. Governor Nash had no criticism to make of Governor Mount, but on the contrary complimented him for the prompt manner in which the requisition had been honored. He did, however, complain of the lack of action on the part of the sheriff.

"It is understood that Governor Mount will this morning instruct the sheriff of Noble county to immediately undertake the arrest of Kuhns.

"It has been understood that since his escape from the Ohio penitentiary Kuhns has been living in a log cabin in the Noble county woods. Frequent reports have come from that locality to the effect that Kuhns has been brazen in his defence of the law and its officers, and has upon several occasions attended country dances in the vicinity, as well as other rural social functions. A week as so ago it was reported that Kuhns had decided to become a benedict and was headed in the direction of this city. Since then nothing has been heard of him. It is understood that Kuhns has his log cabin well stocked with small artillery and will make it warm for any officer of the law who attempts his arrest."

A MURDERER HANGED.

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 10.—John J. Sadler, convicted of the murder of Stewart McCune on July 5, 1899, was hanged in the county court yard at 10:23 o'clock this morning. Death resulted in nine minutes from strangulation. Sadler and McCune quarreled over a keg of beer and Sadler was badly beaten. Later he procured a gun, lay in waiting for McCune and as he came out of his home shot him dead.

BIG INSURANCE SWINDLE.

New York, Jan. 10. The Evening Journal says warrants have been issued for the arrest of four persons who are accused of swindling the Colonial Insurance company, of Jersey City, by securing insurance on the lives of persons about to die, and by other methods. The four men for whom warrants were issued include a newspaper editor, the beneficiary under one policy; a medical examiner, an undertaker, and a prize fighter, who acted as agent for the company. The Evening Journal says:

"It is said that the Colonial Insurance company has been swindled out of large sums of money secured on bogus policies and that there has been a wholesale traffic in dead bodies between Bellevue hospital in this city and a certain undertaking establishment in Union Hall, N. J."

MAY TALK CHARTER CHANGES

POSSIBLE SUBJECT BEFORE COMMERCIAL CLUB.

Some Inclination to Discuss Metropolitan Police Law—A Busy Session Tonight.

In some quarters today there was a feeling that the question of a metropolitan police law for Fort Wayne might come up for discussion at the regular meeting of the Commercial club tonight, though there was no information as to the form or by whom the subject might be brought before the club. There is a feeling in some quarters that questions of this nature should not come before the club, though President Randall thinks a discussion of any question of interest to Fort Wayne is quite within the province of the organization.

Whether the question of charter changes is mentioned or not, it is certain the session will be a busy one. Supt. Alexander Johnson will be heard in support of the improvements contemplated at the state school and with some suggestions to the committee named to assist in securing them. The auditorium committee of twenty-five will file its report, and the stockholders of the Butler and Fort Wayne railroad will be present to ask the co-operation of the club in securing the subsidy petitioned for. The matter of early closing of retail stores is also likely to have a hearing. A smoker will be a feature of the evening and there is likely to be a large attendance.

CHANGE OF CLIMATE

Not Necessary in Order to Cure Catarrh.

The popular idea that the only cure for chronic catarrh is a change of climate, is a mistake, because catarrh is found in all climates in all sections of the country; and even if a change of climate should benefit for a time, the catarrh will certainly return.

Catarrh may be readily cured in any climate, but the only way to do it is to destroy or remove from the system the catarrhal germs which cause all the mischief.

The treatment by inhalers, sprays, powders and washes has been proven almost useless in making a permanent cure, as they do not reach the seat of disease, which is in the blood and can be reached only by an internal remedy which acts through the stomach upon the blood and system generally.

A new discovery which is meeting with remarkable success in curing catarrh of the head, throat and bronchial tubes and also catarrh of the stomach, is sold by druggists under name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets, which are pleasant and harmless to take, owe their efficiency to the active medicinal principles of Blood Root, Red Gum and a new specific called Guaiacol, which, together with valuable antiseptics, are combined in convenient, palatable tablet form, and as valuable for children as for adults.

Mr. A. R. Fernbank, of Columbus Ohio, says: "I suffered so many winters from Catarrh that I took it as a matter of course, and that nothing would cure it except a change of climate, which my business affairs would not permit me to take.

"My nostrils were almost always clogged up, I had to breathe through the mouth, causing an inflamed, irritated throat. The thought of eating breakfast often nauseated me, and the catarrh gradually getting into my stomach took away my appetite and digestion.

"My druggist advised me to try a fifty-cent box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, because he said he had so many customers who had been cured of Catarrh by the use of these tablets that he could honestly recommend them. I took his advice and used several boxes with results that surprised and delighted me.

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G. E. Bursley is at Indianapolis.

NATIONAL COMMANDER HERE

GEN. WOOTERS ADDRESSES UNION VETERAN LEGION.

Inspection Held at Court House Assembly Room—Bad Weather Kept Attendance Down.

General William R. Wooters, of Philadelphia, national commander of the Union Veteran Legion, was in Fort Wayne Wednesday evening for his semi-annual inspection of encampment No. 51, and the veterans had arranged for a public meeting at the assembly room of the court house. Inclement weather had the effect of keeping the attendance down, but the meeting was very interesting.

Col. W. H. McClelland presided, and interspersed through the evening were songs by the Sons of Veterans' quartet, and selections upon the mandolin and guitar by Dr. Burket and Ed. Rabb. In his address General Wooters aid in part:

GEN. W. R. WOOTERS.

"The time intervening since my last visit to this generous and hospitable city is not so long that I have forgotten the honors and the kindnesses you showed me during the second week in September. To me and those who were associated with me, that week will always be a glorious memory. Never before were we so generously welcomed. I did not want to be greeted on this occasion by bonfires, parades and brass bands; I wanted to get back to Fort Wayne when the city was in its normal state and say to you that I as well as the 33,000 comrades I have the honor to represent will always remember your kindness and your hospitality.

"The glory of a people is its history, and the history of our country is the history of humanity, for our sires came from every clime where intelligence is found. Through war strife they marked the pathway of liberty. Our civilization is not an accident; it is the outcome of the effort of those in all ages who dared fight for liberty.

"The leaders of thought and those who shaped the destiny prepared the way. They were indeed men of destiny. They came out from the shadows of all ages and left memories, both mortal and mist. I need not speak of their heroism, their valiant deeds. The world has been civilized largely by these uncrowned kings. If the glorious achievements of the fathers of the revolutionary days in no wise exhausted the patriotism of this people. In each succeeding struggle our soldiers and our sailors have sprung to the front and left history that must be enrolled in the Doomsday book of the immortal. The unknown patriot dead in all days who fought for home and country are the voices that tell us tonight of liberty's glories.

"The sacrifice and suffering of the soldier life is familiar to you, my comrades, and to me. Our days were not all days of martial glory. There were privations, days of hard marches, of camps in the cold and the rain, of wounds, and of suffering in the prison pen. War is the fire in which the true are tested. But how sweet its triumphs; how beneficent its results. Let us call the roll, for out of the past no men are more entitled to honor than those who saved the union. Their place in history is fixed; theirs is the world's greatest legacy, embalmed in song, engraved in bronze, sculptured in marble and recorded in faultless history.

"In the more recent conflicts which have called our soldiers forth we catch tonight the lingering echoes of the voices of the long ago. We would not call one back to tell what it costs in human pain and human suffering, but we turn to its results, in the uniting of this mighty country. Our soldiers of 1861-5 stood for the holiest of obligations, and today we stand for the holiest of accomplishments. Today our soldiers are laying, as then, life's best endeavor upon their country's altar. The islands of the sea waited long, but their cry was heard, and liberty shall find an abiding place in the Western Antilles and in the Islands of the Orient. These shall be the guiding stars, for the dawn of liberty to all people is breaking around the world."

This address was received with hearty applause, and in response to a request General Wooters described in a graphic manner from his own personal experiences the repulse of Pickett's line by the Philadelphia brigade at the battle of Gettysburg.

The commander left this morning for Indianapolis to inspect the encampment in that city. He will return to Fort Wayne in June.

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WILL BANQUET IN MARCH.

In response to the call of President H. C. Underwood, the Jeffersonian club will held a meeting Saturday evening to make arrangements for the annual banquet and democratic love feast, which will probably be held in March. Hon. David B. Hill, of New York, will probably be invited to attend as the guest of honor and as the principal speaker of the evening, and in addition to Mr. Hill other democrats of prominence will be invited. One of the chief speakers is likely to be Hon. John W. Kern, the recent democratic candidate for governor. Mr. Kern was one of the speakers at last year's banquet and is one of the most popular orators Fort Wayne has ever heard. It is certain the coming event will be a notable one.

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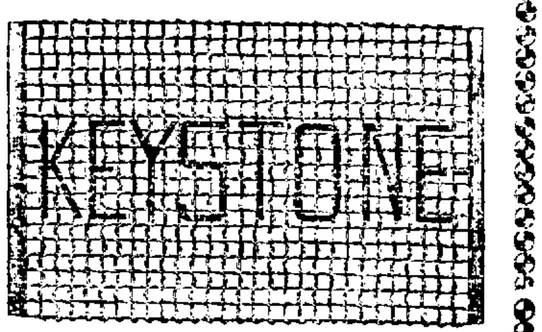

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Crestline and Pittsburg.	†12 40 pm	* 2 25 am
Plymouth and Chicago..	* 4 10 pm	* 7 35 pm
Lima and Crestline......	† 7 00 am	† 7 30 am
New York and Wash'tn.	* 7 45 pm	* 4 00 pm
Pittsburg & Phila......	* 7 45 pm	* 4 00 pm
Pittsburg & Phila......	* 9 30 pm	* 4 50 am
Pittsburg & Phila......	* 4 20 pm	*10 10 am
New York and Wash'tn.	* 4 20 pm	*10 10 am
Valparaiso and Chicago.	*10 15 am	* 4 15 pm
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GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA RY.
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NORTH BOUND.

*For Grand Rapids and north .... 2 30 a m
† " " " " .... 5 50 a m
‡ " " " " ....
†From Richmond arrives .... 2 40 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

*For Richmond and Cincinnati .... 12 05 a m
* " " " .... 6 35 a m
† " " " .... 12 30 p m
†From Grand Rapids arrives .... 6 30 p m

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

WABASH

Wabash Time Table in Effect June 3rd, 1900.

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Fast Eastern Express, daily........ 5 30 a.m
No. 6 New England Fast Mail daily....11 45 a.m
No. 24 Atlantic Express—daily........ 6 47 p.m
No. 16 Peru Accom, daily arrive........ 9 37 a.m

GOING WEST.

No. 19 Indianapolis Express—daily.... 5 50 a.m
No. 1 St. Louis Express daily—........ 9 21 a.m
No. 3 Government Fast Mail—daily.... 5 40 p.m
No. 3 St. Louis limited daily.......... 8 20 p.m

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No. 4 Robison Park Special (Sun. only) 1 30 p.m

ARRIVE.

No. 5 Mixed (except Sun.)............ 11 00 a.m
No. 3 Mail and Express (except Sun.). 3 10 p.m
No. 7 Local Freight (except Sun.).... 5 30 p.m
No. 1 Robison Park Special (Sun. only 10 55 a.m

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Western Express, No. 1	12 10
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Local Freight	[illegible]

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L. S. & M. S. TIME CARD. In effect Dec. 2, 1900.

NORTHBOUND	DEPART
No. 463 Local Freight.........	7 20 a.m
No. 457 Express and Mail.........	11 25 a.m
No. 459 Express and Mail.........	5 00 p.m
SOUTHBOUND	ARRIVE
No. 456 Express and Mail.........	11 25 a.m
No. 460 Express and Mail.........	3 50 p.m
No. 462 Local Freight.........	2 50 p.m

A. W. CRASPER, Ticket Agt.

L. E. & W. RY. TIME TABLE—

SOUTH.

No. 41 Except Sunday........ 7:30 a.m
No. 43 Except Sunday........ 6:35 p.m
No. 43 Sunday Only........ 4:35 p.m
No. 173 Local Freight........ 6:00 a.m

NORTH.

No. 40 Except Sunday........ 11:45 a.m
No. 44 Sunday Only........ 11:45 a.m
No. 42 Except Sunday........ 10:25 p.m
No. 114 Local Freight........ 4:00 p.m

C. F. Daly, G. P. A., Indianapolis. O. W. Crasper, Ticket Agt.

OFFICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne met in the Council Chamber Tuesday evening, January 2, A. D. 1901, in regular session, His Honor, Mayor Scherer, in the chair, and H. B. Monning, Clerk, at the desk, and present the following members, 12, viz.:

Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Absent, 8, viz.: Councilmen Borkenstein, Eckert, Gerding, Haag, Hosey, Miller, Scheid and Schubler.

The minutes of the last regular session having been delivered to the councilmen were, on motion, approved as published.

MAYOR'S COMMUNICATION.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL, FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 11, 1900.

To the Members of the Common Council.

Gentlemen: I have approved the following ordinances passed at your session of December 11th and 13th, 1900:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 174.

An ordinance appropriating $1,160 to police force pay roll.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 166.

An ordinance confirming and approving a certain agreement and contract made and entered into this 27th day of November, 1900, by and between the city of Fort Wayne, through its board of public works, and George Townsend, William S. Read and Charles C. Miller.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY P. SCHERER, Mayor.

Received and filed.

COMPTROLLER'S COMMUNICATION.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: I have been informed by the city treasurer that applications have been made to him for re-payment of street assessments under the acts of 1899 amounting to $3,000.

These assessments will be paid next April when there is no chance of purchasing street improvement bonds to carry against the amounts paid as directed by law and I think some steps should be taken now to authorize me to carry sufficient bonds to enable me to invest them against the pre-payment next spring.

This city now after the December settlement will have in the electric light construction fund $14,000, money which in all probability will not be used within the next year or two and this amount should bear interest. I think it would be wise if the city would invest this money in absolute reliable security at 5 per cent., and as no more reliable security can be given than the city's own bonds I would suggest that the council and the finance committee consider the advisability of carrying first-class improvement bonds against such an account. This would bring interest on the money and enable me also from time to time to cover pre-paid street improvements by reimbursing this fund as the occasion may require. If the sinking fund now on hand amounting to about $13,000, for which there will be no need within the next four years, would be invested in a similar way legally this might also be considered and reported on at the same time.

Respectfully yours,
HENRY C. BERGHOFF, Comptroller.

Referred to committee on finance and city attorney.

COMMUNICATION OF CITY ATTORNEY AND COMPTROLLER.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 27, 1900.

To the Comptroller.

You are hereby requested to recommend the appropriation of $83.30 to pay the judgment and costs in the case of "Emma Shefferly vs. the City of Fort Wayne." Judgment in favor of "Emma Shefferly," $75.00, court costs, $8.30.

W. H. SHAMBAUGH, City Attorney.

I recommend that the above appropriation be allowed.

HENRY C. BERGHOFF, Comptroller.

Approved.

COMMUNICATION OF CITY ATTORNEY AND COMPTROLLER.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 4, 1901.

To H. C. Berghoff, Comptroller.

Dear Sir: Please arrange for an appropriation of $42.50 to pay claim of Louis Hagerfelt; also for an appropriation of $35.00 to pay claim of Chas. Beahm.

Respectfully,
W. H. SHAMBAUGH, City Attorney.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

I hereby request that the above appropriation be made.

Respectfully,
HENRY C. BERGHOFF, Comptroller.

Approved.

COMMUNICATION.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 3, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: As required by the law, the undersigned canvassed the ballot of an election held Tuesday, January 1, 1901, by the members of the fire department for the selection of a trustee for the next four years for the firemen's pension fund.

William Brandt received the highest number of votes and was declared elected. The result of the ballot was:

William Brandt........ 1[illegible]
S. Boerger........ 4
Thos. Kipp........ 7
Gus. Hilgeman........ 17
John Stallbut........ 7
Adam Haag........ 12

Respectfully,
HENRY P. SCHERER, Mayor.
HENRY HILBRECHT, Chief Fire Force.
HENRY B. MONNING, City Clerk.

Received and spread upon record.

PETITION.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Owing to inferior workmanship, and carelessness of incompetent persons in the placing of electrical wires and apparatus in the city of Fort Wayne, thereby endangering the life, limb and property of our citizens by fire and otherwise; and, as the cities of Anderson, Evansville, Elkhart, Greencastle, Kokomo, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Marion, South Bend, Terre Haute and Vincennes, Indiana, are now working successfully under a similar ordinance, adopted by their several councils, we, the undersigned, respectfully petition your honorable body to adopt the ordinance presented for the creating of the office of city electrical inspector.

Respectfully submitted,
Electrical Workers' Union, No. 138.
H. C. ECKLES, President.
H. E. WRUELAND, Recording Secretary.
C. F. BAKER, President T. and L. C.
J. J. E. MILLER, Secretary T. and L. C.

Introduced by John J. Bauer.

Received and spread upon record.

REPORT OF WATER WORKS TRUSTEES.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen—Following is the report of the financial operations of the water works department for the month of December, 1900.

RECEIPTS.

Water rent	$1,454 61
Meter rent	80
Special revenue	11 15
Meters	78 00
Meter repairs	11 78
Valves	4 00
Hydrants	2 00
Services	96 58
Total revenue	$1,666 52
Am't on hand as per last report...	$98 40
Total cash for the month........	$1,965 01
Deposited with treasurer. $1,943 75	
Rebate .... $ 7 45	$1,951 20
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1901...	$ 10 37

DISBURSEMENTS.

City treas.' fund as per last report		$6,124 12
Deposited during month		1,943 75
Total water works fund		$8,067 87
Orders drawn on account of:		
Pumping service Sta. 1	$1,418 42	
Pumping service Sta. 2	1,111 87	
Officers salaries	628 31	
Office expense	46 15	
Trustees' salaries	124 95	
Street repairs	12 75	
Implements	3 03	
Services	609 66	
Valves	1 90	
Hydrants	236 12	
Pipes	826 25	
Pipe laying	14 56	
Reservoir	102 33	
Spy Run wells	721 95	
Interest on bonded debt	640 00	
Engines & boilers Sta. 1	313 57	
Engines & boilers Sta. 2	140 75	
Meters	17 54	
Meter repairs	67 68	
Hydrant repairs	5 22	
Compressed air test	191 78	
Stable	36 45	
Suction pipe No. 2	131 43	$7,330 31
To balance		$1,382 53

Respectfully submitted,
WM. TAGTMEYER,
WM. KAOUGH,
P. J. SINGLETON,
Trustees Water Works.

Referred to committee on water works.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: As treasurer of the board of school trustees, I herewith submit my report of the school funds from Aug. 1, 1900 to Jan. 1, 1901.

TUITION FUND.

August 1, 1900—	
Balance on hand	$12,957 79
Expended for tuition	$2,514 54
Jan. 1, 1901. Bal. on hand	$16,443 25

SPECIAL SCHOOL FUND.

August 1, 1900—	
Balance on hand	$33,851 56
From misc. sources	150 00
	$34,011 56
Expended for salaries of supt., clerk, janitors and bills allowed	$7,388 79
Jan. 1, 1901. Bal. on hand	$ 6,612 77

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

August 1, 1900—	
Balance on hand	$ 4,335 86
To cash received from fines, rent, etc.	133 45
	$ 4,439 31
Overdrawn	462 21
	$ 4,901 52
Expended for library purposes	4,901 52
January 1, 1901—	
Total balance on hand	$23,636 04

The overdraft in the library fund was caused by the payment of one of the notes given for the purchase of the library property, which note, amounting to $1,932 83, fell due July 27, 1900, and which with the interest on that and the remaining note, amounting to $216, had to be paid entirely from the library fund, as the retiring treasurer had failed to provide for the payment of said note, or any part thereof, from the interest on school funds in his hands, as he had been expected to do.

Respectfully submitted,
The Board of School Trustees,
By W. W. ROCKHILL, Treasurer.

Referred to committee on education.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: Your committee on finance to which was referred the report of the city attorney in relation to the judgment in favor of Emma Shefferly vs. the City of Fort Wayne, hereby submits its report: The committee is of the opinion that the recommendations of the city attorney in the matter should be approved.

SYLVESTER M'MAHON, Chairman.
B. BORKENSTEIN,
P. J. SCHEID,
Committee on Finance.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF WATER WORKS COMMITTEE.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 4, 1900.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: We, your committee on water works, to whom was referred the report of the water works trustees for the month of November, 1900, respectfully report that we have examined the same and find it correct.

P. J. SCHEID,
B. BORKENSTEIN,
JOHN J. BAUER,
Committee on Water Works.

Concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 7, 1901.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: Your committee on claims, to which was referred claims against the city report as follows:

On the claim of Louis Hagerfelt, the committee finds that the street was out of repair as set out in petition; that the condition was partly the fault of the contractor Charles Moellering, and partly the fault of the city. In view of the facts it was thought best to compromise the claim. The guarantor of the contractor will pay one half of the claim, and the city will pay the other half. It can be settled for $85.00, making the city's share $42.50.

We recommend that said amount be paid him.

On the claim of Charles Beahm, who slipped and fell on Gay street, upon investigation of the facts we find that the sidewalk was slightly out of repair and that claimant was injured in consequence of it. We recommend the payment of $35.00, which claimant will accept and release city of any further liability.

P. J. SCHEID,
WM. J. LENNART,
EDW. J. EHRMAN,
Committee on Claims.
W. H. SHAMBAUGH, City Attorney.

Concurred in.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 175.

An ordinance appropriating $35.00 to miscellaneous claim account.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that thirty-five dollars ($35.00) be hereby appropriated to miscellaneous claim account to pay claim of Chas. Beahm.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

SYLVESTER M'MAHON.

The ordinance was read the first time in full; upon motion the ordinance was read the second time by its title; upon motion the rules were suspended by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 176.

An ordinance appropriating $42.50 to miscellaneous claim account.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that forty-two dollars and fifty ($42.50) cents be hereby appropriated to miscellaneous claim account to pay claim of Louis Hagerfelt.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

SYLVESTER M'MAHON.

The ordinance was read the first time in full; upon motion the ordinance was read the second time by its title; upon motion the rules were suspended by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 177.

An ordinance appropriating $83.30 to miscellaneous claim account.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that eighty-three dollars and fifty ($83.50) cents be appropriated to miscellaneous claim account for the purpose of paying judgment of Emma Shefferly.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

SYLVESTER M'MAHON.

The ordinance was read the first time in full; upon motion the ordinance was read the second time by its title, upon motion the rules were suspended by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 12, viz.: Bauer, Buhr, Clark, Ehrman, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, O'Ryan, Schwartz, White and Zurbuch.

Nays—None.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. ——.

An ordinance to create the office of electrical inspector, to define the duties of such officer, and to establish rules and regulations concerning electrical wiring and appliances.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that the office of city electrical inspector is hereby created, and there shall be appointed by the mayor, and confirmed by the council one person, skilled in the science of electricity, to be styled "Electrical Inspector," who shall hold office for one year and until a successor is appointed and qualified. Said electrical inspector shall be removable at the pleasure of the city council, and shall receive such compensation for his services as the said council may determine. Said officer shall give bond, to the approval of the mayor, in the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00), said bond to be conditional according to law.

Sec. 2. Said electrical inspector shall have general supervision over, and is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to regulate and determine the placing, stringing and attaching of all telegraph, telephone, or electric light and power, or other wires in said city, so as to prevent fires or accidents or injury to persons or property, and to cause all such wires and all electrical appliances to be so placed, constructed and guarded as not to cause fires or accidents, or endanger life or property; and whenever, in the judgment of said electrical inspector any electric wire shall be defective, by reason of improper or insufficient insulation, or for any other cause, the said electrical inspector shall at once notify the owner thereof of such defect and order him to repair or remove the same, and upon the owner's failure or refusal so to do within a reasonable time, the said electrical inspector shall cause the repair or removal of the same, and the expense thereof may be recovered by the city in an action against the person firm or corporation owning such wires.

Sec. 3. The electrical inspector shall make a thorough inspection of all electrical wires and appliances within the city of Fort Wayne at least twice in each year, and where wires or appliances are in a dangerous or unsafe condition, he shall notify the person, firm or corporation owning, using or operating them, to place them in safe and secure condition. Any person, firm, or corporation failing or refusing to have such work performed within ten days after the receipt of such notice, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the electrical inspector to so direct the placing, stringing and attaching of wires upon poles erected in the streets and alleys of said city that the same shall cause as little obstruction, either to travel in the streets, or to the use and enjoyment of private property as possible.

Sec. 5. The said electrical inspector, or any other competent person or persons, delegated by him, shall have the right, during reasonable hours, to enter any building, man-hole, or subway in the discharge of his official duties, or for the purpose of making any test of the electrical apparatus or appliances therein contained, and for that purpose he shall be given prompt access to all buildings, private or public, and to all manholes and subways on application to the company or individual owning or in charge or control of the same.

Sec. 6. The said electrical inspector shall have the power to cause the removal of all wires or the turning off of all electrical currents where the circuits interfere with the work of the fire department.

Sec. 7. No alteration or change shall be made in the wiring of any building, nor shall any building be wired for the placing of electrical lights, motors, or heating devices, without first securing from the said electrical inspector a permit therefor. The sum of fifty cents ($.50) shall be charged for each permit so issued by said inspector.

Upon completion of the wiring of any building, it shall be the duty of the company, firm, or individual doing the same, to notify the said electrical inspector, who shall at once inspect the same, and if approved by him issue a certificate of satisfactory inspection, which shall contain the date of inspection and an outline of the result of such examination, but no such certificate shall be issued unless all apparatus wires, etc., connected therewith are in strict conformity with the rules and regulations herein set forth; nor shall any current be turned on until such certificate is issued.

Sec. 8. The said electrical inspector shall keep a full and complete daily record of all work done, permits issued, examinations made or other official work performed, as required by this ordinance, and shall annually make a full and detailed report thereof to the city council.

Sec. 9. Any person, firm, or company violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or failing, neglecting, or refusing to comply with the rules and provisions of this ordinance, or failing, neglecting, or refusing to comply with any order or request of the said electrical inspector covered by this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this ordinance, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five dollars, nor more than fifty dollars, and the costs of prosecution.

Sec. 10. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval by the mayor and legal publication.

JOHN J. BAUER.

Referred to committee on rules, regulations and ordinances and city attorney.

Upon motion the council then adjourned.

A SIMPLE COLD CURE.

Krause's Cold Cure, in capsule form, is easy to take and does not affect the head or hearing like quinine. Try it today. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

BIG FUND FOR ORPHANS' HOME

NET PROCEEDS OF CHARITY BALL WERE $902.76.

Board of Lady Managers Makes Report of Recent Social Function and Expresses Thanks.

More than $900 were the net proceeds of the recent charity ball given at the Wayne club, and this handsome sum goes to the Allen County Orphans' home. The board of lady managers has made to the president and board of directors of the institution the following report:

To the President and Board of Directors of the Allen County Orphans' Home:

The lady members of this board, to whom was assigned the work of arranging for a ball for the benefit of the home, beg to report the result of the ball as follows:

RECEIPTS.

332 double tickets at $3.00 each	$ 996 00
9 ladies' extra tickets $1.50 each	13 50
Donations	68 00
Total receipts	$1,077 50

DISBURSEMENTS.

Books and postage	$ 17 37	
Playing cards	2 25	
Rent of ball room	15 00	
Supper	50 00	
Music	71 00	
Programs	6 00	
Help	7 25	
Material for lunch	5 00	
Decorations	1 47	
Rent of glassware	1 83	
Total disbursements	$174 74	
Balance on hand	902 76	
		$1,077 50

Respectfully submitted,
MARGARET H. FOSTER, Chairman.

EXPRESS THEIR THANKS.

The ladies have also passed resolutions setting forth that the notable success of the ball was made possible by the cordial and hearty support of many persons not directly identified with the management of the home, and expressing the thanks of the board for this assistance. Due acknowledgment is also made of the generous encouragement and word of appreciation that accompanied the payment for tickets; of the services of the various committees, particularly to the young ladies of the decorating committee; to the press for advertising the ball and to individual donors who contributed to the cause. The resolutions are signed by Mrs. S. M. Foster, Mrs. C. S. Bash, Mrs. Louis Diether, Mrs. M. B. Fisher, Mrs. J. M. Kuhne, Mrs. S. J. Laubach, Mrs. J. C. Peters and Mrs. J. C. Woodworth.

A DEEP MYSTERY.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Iowa, "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c. at Dreier & Bros.' drug store.

EARY CLOSING.

Editor The Sentinel—The age of advancement demands that this city assume a more metropolitan air. Diligent research and inquiry assures us that the smaller cities throughout the country have universally adopted the early closing movement and the larger cities have deemed it advisable to close at noon on Saturdays, thus giving the employes a half holiday. We do not presume that any one here would advocate so decided and radical a change from the conditions now prevailing, but it certainly seems reasonable that many of our business men might be induced to close at 6 o'clock for the greater portion of the year. The Trades and Labor Council and various clerks' unions have been actively and energetically engaged recently in an effort of this kind and we are led to believe that a thing so beneficial as this should receive the hearty support of the Commercial club. Any effort to induce factories to locate here, increase the wealth and population of our city is commendable, but a slight effort tending towards the betterment of the condition of the laboring people already here is quite as important and fully merits our careful consideration. Statistics show that all the work of the world could be accomplished in two hours and thirty minutes each day, if every man, women and child above the age of 10 would perform his share, and this being a fact it is not making too broad an assertion to say that the merchandise of this city could be bought and sold in ten hours each for five days of the week, and keeping open until 11 or 12 o'clock on Saturday evenings. The argument that many advance that the time is not long enough for all to make their purchases might be met with another one equally as plausible, and that is: "If one is too busy to buy the necessities and luxuries of life in that time, they are too busy to enjoy them, therefore they be just as well off without either." To begin with, we believe that the thanks of this organization should be extended to all the merchants who have been liberal and broad-minded enough to start this movement, knowing as they well did, that many of their competitors did not join them and make the custom a universal one. The people employed in stores that keep open in the evening, receive no extra pay for the longer hours, but they are robbed of not less than ten hours each week, 520 hours each year, or almost two months of extra labor, not taking into consideration the time that is lost that might be profitably used for a higher education or amusement. Every charitable entertainment and legitimate place of amusement is annually the loser to an amount that can not be estimated, while every home is denied the pleasure of family gathering. No man or woman can be induced to furnish a home for comfort, elegance or ease when the greater portion of the time spent there is in bed, which is a natural result and consequence when one is compelled to devote the evening to business. After a careful canvass of the advantages and disadvantages to be derived by all we came to the conclusion that the electric light and gas companies would be the only losers, but believe that the brighter lights in more homes and in the attractive windows of many merchants would more than counterbalance the loss occasioned by darkened stores. According to the city directory of 1900, we have in Fort Wayne twenty-six retail dealers in boots and shoes, and all but three or four of these close at 6 o'clock with the exception of Saturdays and pay days. Of the five dealers in carpets and oil cloths all close early. Twelve clothing merchants transact business here, and there are but three or four that keep open late. We have also nineteen retail dry goods stores, three fish and game, nine florists, ten fruit retailers, eleven furniture dealers, ten gas fitters, four wholesale grocers, 147 retail grocers, two hair dressers, five wholesale hardware, ten retail hardware, seven hats and caps, four house furnishing stores, four installment goods, forty insurance agents, eight laundries, five wholesale meats, fifty-nine retail meats, twelve men's furnishings, thirty-seven merchant tailors, twenty-five milliners, fourteen retail notions, nine photographers, seven second-hand goods, eight piano and organs, four picture frames, two queensware, ten saddle and harness, five sewing machines, ten wall paper, fourteen jewelers, and many others too numerous to mention are given, and of this number, probably 75 per cent. have already joined the early closing movement. There are certain lines of business, such as jewelry and toys, that find it absolutely necessary to keep open during the month of December. The closing of stores at 6 o'clock refers only to the closing of the retail or wholesale stores for the sale of merchandise and is not intended to conflict with the labor which necessarily must be done by many establishments whose manufacturing interests are at stake.

Ora Seaney,
Man Milliner.

THOUSANDS SENT INTO EXILE.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at Dreier & Bros. Price 50c. and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

NEW CLUB ORGANIZED.

At the home of Mrs. J. R. Medsker, on Ewing street, Wednesday afternoon a company of ladies met and organized a new social club, to be known as the New Century club, with seven charter members. Mrs. Ida Davis is president and Mrs. Carrie Stevens secretary.

OLD FASHIONED COLD CURES

Are going out of date. The busy man of today cannot afford to lie abed a whole day and undergo the martyrdom of the sweating process. Krause's Cold Cure are capsules of convenient size, and can be taken without danger while performing your usual duties. They cure in twenty-four hours. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

Reserve your seats for the Drummond Benefit Entertainment Friday night. 9t2

THE NICKEL PLATE ROAD

Will send its 1901 Pan-American Exposition calendar to any one sending their address to the General Passenger Agent at Cleveland, Ohio.
8,10,15,17,22,24,29,31w4t

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IN FORT WAYNE.

Every Claim is Backed by Local Testimony.

If the reader wants anything stronger than the opinions and experiences of his neighbors, what can it be?

Miss Dora Furney, of 64 Barr street, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills and Doan's Ointment and I can highly recommend them both. When I got the pills at Meyer & Co.'s drug store I was suffering from severe backache and other symptoms of disordered kidneys, but under the treatment the ailments disappeared. Doan's Ointment I found superior to anything else I ever tried. For an eruption of the skin, which nothing I ever used seemed to benefit, Doan's Ointment in a short time completely cured."

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CAPITAL, $200,000.
SURPLUS, $75,000.
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ABSTRACTER OF TITLES
INSURANCE.
COLLECTION AND LOAN AGENT.
James B. Graham,
Room 16, Bank Block,
FORT WAYNE, IND.
Stenographer and Notary Public in office. 'Phone 615 Main.

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GOLDSTINE'S PLACE.

WORK OF HEROES

LIFE LINE CARRIED TO THE STEAMER RUSSIE.

FISHERMEN BREAST WAVES

BATTLE VALIANTLY WITH AN ANGRY SEA.

HOPE FOR THE SHIPWRECKED

FOOD SENT ABOARD TO THE FAMISHING SOULS.

Marseilles, Jan. 10.—6:30 p. m.—The life line connected with the Russie still holds good in spite of the tremendous seas running, but it has not yet been possible to take off the passengers. An attempt was about to be made to rescue them when the last dispatch from Faraman was received.

The attachment of the line was due to the heroic effort of twenty fishermen, who attempted what appeared to be a foolhardy task. Their flat bottomed craft was tossed about like a straw on the waves. The spectators watched it with bated breath. Several times they thought the small craft was lost, but it finally got into a current, which carried the boat to the starboard side of the Russie's bow. A line was then thrown on board the wreck.

The captain of the Russie, standing on the bridge, shouted: "We have not lost heart and have confidence in you, but be quick."

A moment later, amid great excitement among the spectators ashore, the line was seen to part. The fishermen made another effort and again got the line on board the stranded vessel. They then returned to the beach, where hundreds of willing hands pulled their boat high and dry, when a scene of enthusiasm ensued.

The fishermen were carried in the arms of the people out of reach of the waves.

Later the line again parted, causing much anxiety, as the sea was becoming rougher. Then, the same fishermen made another attempt to reach the Russie in their flat bottomed boat. On the first attempt they were capsized into the surf and the men were thrown back on the strang. They made a fresh effort, with a few newcomers aiding, and the same boat's crew again succeeded in getting a line on board the Russie. This time its security was enhanced by the line being attached to several rafts between the wreck and the shore.

FOOD SENT TO WRECK.

Marseilles, Jan. 10.—A message from Faraman at 9 o'clock this morning says that in spite of the heavy sea still running a lifeboat succeeded in reaching the French steamer Russie (from Oran, which stranded Monday on the coast near the village of Faraman during a violent storm) at 8 a. m. and attached the line to her, by which food can be furnished to the passengers and crew, who had been cooped up in the forecastle since Monday evening, when the vessel stranded, and were famishing. There are sanguine hopes that the rescue of the endangered persons is possible now that communisation with the Russie is established.

Faraman, Bouches-Du-Rhone, Jan. 10.—Dawn found the situation of the stranded steamer Russie unchanged. The wind blew with terrific violence all night long, but the rain has ceased. On the bridge and forecastle of the steamer some of the crew and passengers can be plainly seen. The first signal this morning said:

"Hasten or we die of hunger."

A few minutes later the following message was signalled:

"We are constructing a raft which we will try to launch with a sail."

DIED IN A STREET CAR.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 10.—Major Nat Burbank, of the Picayune, widely known as a dramatic critic and as the author of the humorous column of that paper, died suddenly in a street car today. He came here with the northern army during the civil war and has been associated with the Picayune for many years.

DAVID GRAHAM ADEE DEAD.

Washington, Jan. 10.—David Graham Adee, brother of Assistant Secretary of State Alva Augustus Adee and well known as an author, died at 5 o'clock this morning. He had been an invalid for many years, but it was not until the last few days that his ailments assumed a threatening aspect. The deceased was of old Scotch lineage on both the father's and the mother's sides, his maternal grandfather being the eminent New York barrister, David Graham, and his ancestry tracing back to the Graham clan of Fifeshire in the Montrose and Claverhouse lines. On the paternal side, the name was originally spelled Adie, the family belonging to the old Scotch covenanters' line. His father Augustus A. Adee, who died in 1841, was at the time of his death a fleet surgeon of eminence in the United States navy. During his late years of invalidism, Mr. Adee devoted much of his leisure to literary prose and verse work, and published several novels among them "No. 19 State Street." Assistant Secretary Adee was a most devoted brother, the ties between the two being unusually close, so that the separation has been affliction to the surviving brother, and is one in which he had the sympathy of a large circle of officials and other friends. The deceased is survived by a wife and three children. The remains will be temporarily interred in Washington.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph W. Wilson and Emma I. Coyle.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Charles Hanker entertained a number of ladies at a dinner today.

Phil Lintlag, who was taken down with an attack of grip yesterday, is today reported quite seriously ill.

Misses Nora Kress, Essie Wright and Carrie Scharff entertained a number of their friends at a taffy-pulling last evening at the home of Miss Scharff, on West DeWald street.

A RACE WAR IS IMMINENT

BLOODSHED IS EXPECTED IN WARWICK COUNTY.

Armed Men Patrol the Streets of Newburg and Threaten to Drive Out Blacks.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 10.—The white men and negroes at Newburg, a small town east of here, are armed and a race is war is expected to break out at any time. For some time past the blacks of the town have conducted themselves in a manner which has incensed the white population, and the better citizens have warned the negroes that they must leave the place. In the last issue of the Tribune, a paper published by Oscar Martin, a war of extermination of the blacks was urged. The article stirred the people up to fever heat, and the trouble has been imminent for several days. It broke out yesterday, and at this writing it looks like the trouble might result in bloodshed. At 1 o'clock an attack was made on the house in the northern part of the town occupied by James Crow, a notorious negro, who has been living for the past year with a white woman.

NEGROES BARRICADE HOUSE.

Crow had been warned of the attack and had about twenty negroes on the inside of the house heavily armed. About fifty white men and several boys were in the attaking party and they carried guns and revolvers. In all about six shots were fired and the strange part about of is no one was hurt.

One of the white men walked up to the house and, throwing a coal oil can into the back porch, set it on fire. It was expected this would drive the blacks from their quarters, but it failed.

Crow walked out on the porch mid a hail of bullets, and extinguished the fire and escaped injury. The leader of the mob gave it out that the men did not desire to kill Crow.

The negroes are greatly worked up and declare they will not leave the town. A newspaper repesentative was at Newburg late last night and was told by one of the leading citizens that in case the blacks refused to leave it would be impossible to avoid bloodshed.

ARMED MEN PATROL STREETS.

Men are walking the streets armed with all sorts of fire arms. The leader of the negoes is a man of determination and it is said has been in race wars before.

Since the lynching of negroes at Rockport and Boonville recently there has been intense feeling against the blacks in all the river towns.

APPEAL TO THE SHERIFF.

Sheriff Hudson, of Warrick county, has been appealed to, but thus far has taken no hand in the trouble. There are about three hundred blacks in Newburg and the town marshal has had trouble with them for years. Newburg is one of the oldest towns in the state and at one time was the best shipping point between Cincinnati and New Orleans. There are many southern people residing in the town.

WILL LECTURE TONIGHT.

At Westminster church this evening Rev. Ketrow, of this city, will give a talk on the "Growth and Development of the Presbyterian Church During the Past Century."

LOCAL LINES.

The L. C. B. A. club will give a dance on Friday evening, Jan. 18.

The Union and Literary club will give a French ball in Randall hall on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 12.

The Do and Don't club will give a dance in Randall hall on Friday evening, Jan. 11.

A special nurse from Hope hospital has been engaged by the Visiting Nurse League to look after Mrs. France and her four small children, who live a short distance west of the Taylor street bridge. The four children are ill with diphtheria and the mother is too weak to nurse them. As the bank account of the league is rather slim it is hoped that contributions will be made to meet the emergency. Persons desiring to assist are referred to Dr. Carrithers Calvin, secretary of the league.

Don't forget to order White Loaf Flour. 10t10

DEATH ENDS LONG ILLNESS

FRANTZ HOHMANN EXPIRED THIS MORNING.

Was a Well Known German Citizen—Resident of Fort Wayne Since 1885—Mortuary Matters.

Frantz Hohmann, a well known German citizen, died at 6 o'clock this morning at his home, 175 High street, after a protracted illness from Bright's disease.

Mr. Hohmann was a native of Germany and had reached the age of seventy years, six months and seven days. While a young man he served in the Hessian army and came to America in 1864. He resided in New York until 1885, when he removed to Fort Wayne. His wife died some years ago and the surviving children are Mrs. Mary Schneider, August Hohmann, Mrs. Theresa Gross, Henry Hohmann and the Misses Elizabeth, Josephine and Catherine Hohmann.

Funeral services will be held from the residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Samuel Wagenhals. The interment will be at Lindenwood.

TEGTMEYER.

Mrs. Ernest Tegtmeyer died at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon at her home, 77 Douglas avenue, from heart and lung trouble, after an illness of about three months.

Mrs. Tegtmeyer was about sixty years of age, and nearly her entire life has been spent in this city. She was a most estimable lady, and a devoted member of the English Lutheran church.

Surviving are the husband and four children Ernest Tegtmeyer, jr., Arthur Tegtmeyer and the Misses Mary and Edith Tegtmeyer. Mrs. John Wagner, of Butler street, is a sister. The funeral announcement will be made later.

THE CHARTER AMENDMENTS.

Editor of The Sentinel—The partisan interests which are opposing the making of the police and fire departments non-partisan, because the change will break down the local democratic Tammany of this city, base their entire argument on the alleged violation of the home rule theory. Apart from the fact that the police power is a function of the state, as shown by the form of all affidavits, to-wit: "State of Indiana vs. John Doe," is it a violation of home rule to place the control of the police and fire departments in the hands of three citizens of Fort Wayne who shall have lived here three years or more, and one of whom shall be a democrat?

Is it a violation of home rule to provide that the judge of the municipal court, although appointed by the governor, shall be a member of the Allen county bar, a lawyer in good standing and under bond for faithful performance of duty?

Is it a violation of home rule to provide such changes in the city government as will effect a net saving in official salaries to the taxpayers of Fort Wayne of at least $1,500 a year?

As to the charge of injustice to the people: Is it any injustice to give each of the leading parties one-half the policemen and one-half of the firemen, when the minority party pays one-half of the taxes? Who is injured by the change except the city ring and its favorites, who keep a full Nelson hold on the offices?

What objection can there be to giving Fort Wayne a non-partisan police and fire department at a largely reduced cost, except in the minds of the political managers who are direct beneficiaries, and the gamblers and saloon keepers? No republican has ever criticized the present city administration with half the sternness of both the democratic organs, which have practically charged collusion with gamblers at its doors.

Why is the local saloon keepers' organization contributing $1,000 to Mayor Scherer's $2,000 fund to pay the expenses of a practiced lobyist at Indianapolis. This shows who is pinched and that the people's interest is not adversely affected by the proposed amendments.

Another Citizen.

GARRETT TO RETIRE.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—John B. Garrett announced today that he will retire on Tuesday next from the vice presidency of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company. This decision was communicated to President Walter in November last and he has remained in office since that time at Mr. Walter's request. Mr. Garrett's decision was known only by a few personal friends. He withdraws from railroad life and will devote his time to educational and philanthropic work. The directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company held a special meeting this afternoon.

ROSY CHEEKS.

Do you want them? Do you simply want to glow with health? Do you want to eat well, sleep well and work well? Try Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Wheat was firm early today on the unexpected steadiness of the Liverpool market. May opened ¼@⅜c higher, at 78⅛@78¼c, reacted to 77⅞c on profit taking, and then rallied to 78⅛c. Chicago receipts were 74 cars, 2 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 263 cars, against 168 last week and 411 a year ago.

May corn opened ⅛@¼c to ⅜@½c higher, at 38@38⅛c, in sympathy with wheat, and on the unfavorable weather, but reacted to 38⅛c. Receipts were 352 cars.

Oats sympathized with wheat and corn. May opened a shade to ⅛c higher, at 25⅛c to 25⅛@25¼c, touched 25⅛c, and reacted to 25⅛c. Receipts were 246 cars.

Provisions opened firm in sympathy with a higher hog market. May pork opened 10c higher, at $14.20, touched $14.15, and rallied to $14.22½. May lard opened 5@7½c up, at $7.55, declined to $7.50@7.52½, and rallied to $7.57½. May ribs started 2½c up, at $7.22½.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Jan., 74⅛c; Feb., 75⅛c; May, 77⅞@77⅞c.

Corn—Jan., 36⅞c; Feb., 37⅛c; May, 38⅛c.

Oats—Jan., 23⅛c; May, 25⅛c.

Pork—Jan., $14.00; May, $14.00.

Lard—Jan., $7.30; Feb., $7.32½; March, $7.35; May, $7.42½@7.45.

Ribs—Jan., $7.02½; May, $7.12½.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.63; No. 1, $1.53; May, $1.60.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000, including 200 Texans; steers strong, 10c higher; butchers stock steady; Texans 10c higher. Good to prime steers, $5.25@6.15; poor to medium, $3.65@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.40; cows, $2.60@4.15; heifers, $2.65@4.40; canners, $2.00@2.50; bulls, $2.50@4.40; calves, $4.00@6.25; Texas fed steers, $4.15@4.50; Texas grass steers, $3.35@4.00; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 32,000; tomorrow, 29,000; left over, 3,334; market opened 10c higher, closing with advance lost; top, $5.45. Mixed and butchers, $5.10@5.40; good to choice heavy, $5.15@5.40; rough heavy, $4.95@5.15; light, $5.10@5.37½; bulk of sales, $5.25@5.35.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Jan. 10.—The market showed many points of strength at the opening, but there were no sensational advances. Texas and Pacific, Delaware and Hudson, Western Union and Manhattan rose 1½ each, and Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and People's Gas about a point. But a violent break of four points in St. Paul unsettled the list. Pennsylvania and Rubber preferred were off 2 points and Missouri Pacific and Northern Pacific about a point each. The tone of the market became highly irregular under these conflicting influences, but there was no great excitement in the trading.

The bears made a general demonstration against the market and forced many prominent stocks down a point or more. Erie second preferred fell 2½, and no effective resistance was encountered anywhere for a time. Sugar was then rushed up to 139½, and People's Gas and Erie first preferred received support. The market, while sympathizing with St. Paul, did not hold well, renewed offerings appearing at the rise. Just before 11 o'clock Missouri Pacific was lifted to 87.

The bears were more agressive in the second hour and were helped in depressing values by the timidity of holders of long stock. Successively lower levels brought increasing amounts of stocks, stop loss orders being closed out. Declines of 2 points were common and the extreme was 5½ in St. Paul. Rubber preferred was off 4. Delaware and Hudson 2¼, Great Northern preferred 2½ and Northern Pacific 3 points. Missouri Pacific broke below 85. It rallied again 1½, and St. Paul 1½, with a steadying effect on the market. Bonds were irregular and quiet.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Jan. 10.—Butter—Receipts, 5,316 pkgs.; market barely steady.

Cheese—Receipts, 1,287 pkgs.; market firm.

Eggs—Receipts, 7,605 pkgs.; market steady at the decline; western average packed at mark, 20@22½c; western, loss off, 23c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, firm.

Coffee—Easy; No. 7 Rio, 7⅛c, nominal.

Molasses—Firm, but quiet.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 10.—Money on call easier, at 3½ per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent.; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87@4.87¼ for demand, and at $4.83½@4.83¾, for 60 days; posted rates, $4.83½@4.84 and $4.87½@4.88; commercial bills, $4.82½@4.82¾; silver certificates, 64½@65½c; bar silver, 63⅛c; Mexican dollars, 49⅞c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Jan. 10.—Government bonds steady:

U. S. Ref. 2's, registered	105½
U. S. Ref. 2's, coupon	105½
U. S. 3's, registered	109½
U. S. 3's, coupon	110
U. S. 4's, registered (new)	137½
U. S. 4's coupon (new)	137½
U. S. 4's, registered (old)	114
U. S. 4's coupon (old)	114
U. S. 5's, registered	113
U. S. 5's, coupon	112

FORT WAYNE MARKETS.

(Corrected Weekly by S. Bash & Co.)

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 10.—Flour—Spring wheat, $4.40@4.80; winter per bbl, $3.75@4.25; second class, $3.00@3.25; Graham, per sack, 30c.

Wheat—76c.
Corn—33c bu.
Oats—23c bu.
Rye—50c.
Timothy Seed—$1.80 bu.
Cloverseed, $5 per bu.
Barley—38@40c.
Oil Meal—$1.40.
Flax Seed—$1.25.
Hides—Green, 7½c; salted, 8½c.
Calf Hides—Green, 9c.
Calf Hides—Salted, 10c.
Tallow—4@4½c.
Potatoes—35@40c.
Beeswax—25@26c.
Feathers—Live geese, 40c.
Bran—Ton, $15.00.
Shorts—$15.00.
Middlings—Ton, $16.00.
Pork—On foot, $4.85@4.90.

CITY HAY MARKET.

Timothy—$10@$11.
Clover—$7.50@9.00.
Mixed—$8.00@9.50.
Wheat Straw—$4.00@5.00.
Oat Straw—$4.00@5.00.

PRODUCE.

Butter—15c.
Best Jar Butter—9c.
Eggs—22@23c.
Chickens—6½c.
Honey—14c.

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That, however, is what it was intended to do. The people expected from our advertisements to get real, legitimate bargains, and they have not been disappointed. They were informed that at the WAYNE they would find prices as low, if not lower, than at any other house in the city, and that in the merchandise purchased there would be found no "Chestnuts," for we have none, nor do we propose to have if we are in business for a thousand years.

It is our intention to have a

New Stock to Offer You Each Year.

And it is just the kind of a sale that is now running at the WAYNE for the month of January that will enable us to do it.

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BEFORE JUSTICE TANCEY.

On the 6th of last November, election day, Earl McGinnis and William Bowman, both residents of Aboite, had an election dispute, which finally led to blows. When they separated McGinnis, who is a blacksmith, warned Bowman never to set foot on his premises again. Bowman kept away until Wednesday, when he entered McGinnis' premises and the latter proceeded to do him up in the latest approved fashion. Today Bowman filed suit against McGinnis for assault and battery, to which charge a plea of guilty was entered and a fine of $1 and costs was assessed. Bowman followed it up with another affidavit for assault committed on the 6th of November, and McGinnis retaliated with an affidavit against Bowman for the same offense committed on the same day. The latter two cases will be heard by Justice Tancey this afternoon.

Minnie Daily and Myrtle Anderson, of Huestis avenue, indulged in a neighborhood quarrel, with the result that Minnie is now under arrest for assaulting Myrtle. The case will be heard in Justice Tancey's court this afternoon.

WAS NOT THE REAL THING.

A fellow from Auburn, who was in the city yesterday, visited a number of east end saloons and left the impression that he was Marvin Kuhns. He was armed and was given a pretty wide berth by those who believed he was indeed the desperado. This morning some one pointed out the fellow to Officer Pappert on Columbia street, and the officer promptly marched him to the station. After an investigation he was permitted to leave town.

LOCAL NEWS.

Officer Madden was obliged to go home this morning on account of illness.

Officer Bob Dickson is off duty today on account of the illness of his wife.

Hon. Charles M. Brown and H. R. Culbertson, of Auburn, are in the city today.

The Women's Label league will meet in the assembly room of the court house this evening.

The Modern Woodmen are in session in the assembly room of the court house this afternoon.

Officer Romy shortly before noon arrested two vags on Barr street. One of them was pretty drunk and the other willing to be. They had in their possession two ladies' hats and a pair of shoes, evidently stolen, which they were trying to sell. They told a tale about having found them in an alley, but their story was disbelieved and they were locked up.

FINAL HEARING FIXED.

The final hearing in the bankruptcy petitions of Frank E. Purcell, of this city; Frank M. Hackett, of Steuben county; David J. Bearm, of Lagrange, and James M. Preston, of Lagrange, will be held before Judge Baker at Indianapolis January 30.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

In 1800 there were in all the world less than fifty shipbuilding yards. Today there are more than 700 shipbuilding yards, turning out a total of 1,000 vessels yearly.

The first iron war vessel built in the world was the United States steamship Michigan, which is still on duty on the great lakes and has often been seen in Chicago.

According to a report just issued by the state mine inspector of Montana, that state produces 22 1-3 per cent. of the world's copper output and 61 per cent. of the output of this country. These industries hardly existed in Montana twenty-five years ago.

Twenty-two Indians from the Cattaraugus reservation, near Erie, Pa., have started for Westcott, Wyo., where they will affiliate with what is left of the once powerful Modoc tribe. This party is to act as advance guard from those left on eastern reservations, all of whom are tired of their present location. They claim that they can have more freedom in the west.

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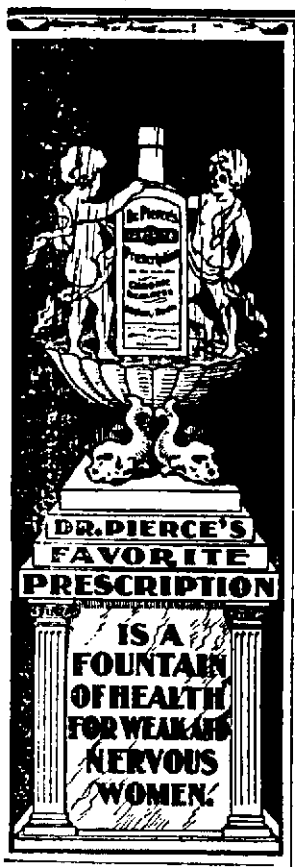

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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned commissioner, appointed by the Whitley circuit court in Cause No. 4293, wherein Henry Kanning is plaintiff, and Sophia Kanning et al., are defendants, will, by virtue of an order of said court made and entered of record at the September term, 1900, offer for sale at private sale, at the law office of Henry Colerick, in the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, upon Thursday, the 31st day of January, 1901, the following described real estate situated in Allen county, Indiana, to-wit: The west half of lot Number One Hundred and Twenty (120), and the east half of lot Number One Hundred and Twenty-one (121), all in the original plat of the City of Fort Wayne, being sixty feet fronting on East Wayne street, in said city. The same has been appraised in two parcels, to-wit: The east twenty feet thereof and the west forty feet thereof, and will be sold in parcels or as a whole to the best advantage, and will continue said sale from day to day until sold.

Terms of sale: Said real estate will be sold free and clear of the line in favor of Charles F. Pfeiffer. Payments, one-third cash in hand, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years; the deferred payments to be secured by notes waiving relief from valuation and appraisement laws, drawing six per cent interest from date of sale and secured by mortgage upon the premises.

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BURKE'S FUNERAL

REMAINS WILL BE TAKEN TO DRY RUN, PA.

B. OF R. T. WILL HAVE CHARGE

SENDS A COMMITTEE WITH THE REMAINS.

MANARY GOES TO THE FARM

THE OLD SHOPMAN WILL TAKE UP AGRICULTURE.

It has been decided to take the remains of the late Frank B. Burke, the Pennsylvania brakeman who lost his life in an accident at Lima, O., to Dry Run, Pa., for interment.

Two brothers of the deceased are now en route from the west and if they have no objections to the present plans, the remains and the funeral party will leave this city for Dry Run next Saturday. The remains will be accompanied by Brakemen H. F. Henschen and Valentine Weber, who represent the local lodge of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and the bereaved family and brothers. The entire arrangements have been placed in the hands of the Trainmen's brotherhood and that order will turn out in a body to attend the funeral exercises at the house, 99 Green street, and convey the remains to the depot. The local brotherhood has sent a telegram to the Altoona lodge requesting that lodge to send a committee to Mt. Union, Pa., to accompany the funeral party to Dry Run. The latter is twenty miles from Mt. Union.

MOVES FROM THE CITY.

John C. Manary, who was employed at the Pittsburg shops from their infancy up to January 1, 1901, has gone to Kalkaska, Mich., to spend the remainder of his life on a farm. Mr. Manary has been preparing for this change for the past fifteen years and it is welcomed by him. He has an excellent farm, is strong and hearty and has years of enjoyable and useful life before him. Mr. Manary's son has been living upon the farm for some years.

B. OF R. T. BALL.

Fort Wayne lodge, No. 136, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, has decided to hold its annual ball at the Wayne club. The date has not been fully settled upon, but it will most likely be Monday, February 18. The committee of arrangements at its meeting tonight will decide that question. The coming ball will undoubtedly be a grand social and financial success.

THE ALLEGED CAR SHORTAGE.

J. Q. Van Winkle, general superintendent of the Cleveland, Cincinnati Chicago and St. Louis and an official who is a close observer of transportation questions, says: "I do not join in this loud cry of car shortage and insufficient power to handle the business offered. Were the ideas of some shippers and freight men carried out, about two months of the year an enormous business would be handled and the other ten months much of the equipment be idle. When a freight official says that his road is short 2,500 cars of filling orders, it does not mean that the shortage is increasing, as fully one-third, if not one-half, that number of cars will be unloaded and ready to load the next day. The more serious feature of such a supply of cars would be that, after being loaded, they would go to some division point where there would be a congestion and there remain several days, as when business is heavy there is no time that, at the seaboard terminals, there is not a congestion of business, and cars are not unloaded under present conditions as fast as they arrive, notwithstanding the better facilities for handling grain, all classes of export freights and freights of local character. The volume of business now moving is about all the roads can handle to advantage at division points and terminals, and the earnings certainly leave no room for complaint. The 60,000-pound capacity car is loaded with such system that no space is unoccupied, and more cars and increased power would only mean more loaded cars used as storehouses and a less economical method of handling business; shippers would have more room for complaint than they have now, as most of the roads are able to supply a fair complement of empty cars to shippers who would be seriously crippled if not provided with cars."

ANOTHER SWITCH CREW.

On account of the increasing business of the road, the Nickel Plate has put another switch engine and crew into service in the yards in this city. Conductor Frank Kelley and Brakemen C. A. Blount and W. P. Payne compose the switching crew.

HIRED MORE MEN.

The Fort Wayne Electric company has again been compelled to increase its force at the works. There are now nearly 600 names on the pay roll, which more than verifies General Manager Wood's predictions of a year ago. As soon as the new addition is completed the force of workmen will be increased fully one-third. The new names on the pay rolls are: Don DeHaven, Victor Nussbaum, Fred Smith, William Guseo, Arthur Shulz, Emil Olinske, H. Swier, William Miller, Charles Aker, W. B. Reynolds, George Fisher, L. Norris, E. Jacobs and LeRoy Zellers. These men were assigned to the rooms presided over by Foremen Bauer and King.

HIS FIRST OFFICIAL TRIP.

G. L. Potter passed through this city this morning on train No. 21, en route to Chicago. He was met at Crestline by Supt. J. B. McKim and Civil Engineer W. B. Blake, who accompanied Mr. Potter to Chicago. This is General Manager Potter's first trip over the Fort Wayne road in his new official capacity.

DANGEROUSLY ILL.

Thomas L. Comparet, of the Bass offices, who has been sick since last Sunday, is said to be in a precarious condition. A consultation of physicians was held in his behalf today and it was the opinion of the doctors that Mr. Comparet's condition was anything but reassuring. The early symptoms of the attack were those of typhoid, but other complications have developed. The progress of the maladies will be watched with extreme anxiety by the legion of friends of the sick man.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Clerk J. M. Haskel, of the east yards, is sick and off duty.

J. Pfeiffer has taken a position as brakeman on the Pittsburg road.

Sickness keeps Pittsburg Fireman A. R. Downey from his work on the road.

Planing Mill Foreman John Kretzinger, of the Pittsburg, is sick and off duty.

Nickel Plate Fireman John Brenenkamp is off duty on account of sickness.

Pittsburg Brakemen F. G. Peltier and B. W. Cullen reported for work yesterday.

Freight Agent C. H. Newton, of Toledo, was in the city a few hours yesterday.

William Rohyans, of the Pittsburg roundhouse, is off duty on account of sickness.

C. V. Jennings, engine foreman in the Wabash yards, is confined to his home by sickness.

B. Volz, the car wheel roller at the Pittsburg shops, has purchased a home on Hugh street.

Engineer Bert Crosby and Fireman John Hood, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days' rest.

Joseph Bursley, of the Pittsburg motive power department, is confined to his home by sickness.

John B. Wagner, shop foreman for Rhinesmith & Sionson, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Chief Dispatcher David Caldwell, of the Nickel Plate, is at work again after being sick a week or two.

Painter Foreman T. J. Rodabaugh, of the Pittsburg, is in Columbus, Ohio, today on business for the company.

William F. Kolhoff, F. C. Treuschet, Frank Wallace and Winfred Batson are new employes at the Pittsburg roundhouse.

Passenger Conductor F. I. Stump, of the Findlay, is sick and his train duties are being performed by Conductor Hoppe.

Louis Deck, of the Pittsburg roundhouse, is off duty nursing a lame leg. The limb was injured yesterday by Mr. Deck falling on the turntable.

The January number of the Pennsylvania time table is an unusual attractive pamphlet. It bears the name of G. L. Potter as general manager.

The Nickel Plate yesterday received two Brooks locomotives and put them in yard service at Bellevue.

Passenger Conductor George Bonter, who was sick a couple of weeks, resumed his train duties on the Pittsburg this morning.

Conductor H. Weber and Brakemen W. B. Rooney and W. H. Stevens, of the Pittsburg, are off duty. The two former are sick.

John V. Smith has been elected president of the railroad commission of Alabama for a term of four years vice James Crook, retired.

L. F. Burgess has been appointed New England passenger agent of the Nickel Plate, with headquarters in Boston, vice F. W. Tibbets, resigned.

W. O. Thompson, formerly with the Lake Shore road, has been appointed master mechanic of the Toledo, St. Louis and Western at a salary of $6,000 a year.

Henry Eix, jr., who had a foot burned a few weeks ago, resumed work in the Wabash blacksmith shop this morning. He had been at the Peru hospital.

C. A. Welsh, Pittsburg fireman, is at Atwood, Ind., where he was summoned yesterday by a telegram informing him of the serious illness of his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Crapser were taken to Hope hospital yesterday, suffering with typhoid fever. Mr. Crapser is the Lake Shore ticket agent at this point.

E. T. Davis, foreman of the Indianapolis freight house of the Pennsylvania company, arrived in the city this morning for a two days' visit with relatives and friends.

The Pennsylvania company will rebuild its interlocking plant at Dunkirk, Ohio. The present plant is not large enough since the tracks have been doubled at that point.

Nickel Plate Brakeman P. E. Hibinger, who had an ankle hurt two weeks ago, and Brakeman E. M. Bedson, who was taking a short vacation, reported for work yesterday.

The Northern Pacific has sold all its lands in North Dakota, amounting to 1,400,000 acres, to a syndicate of New York and eastern capitalists for the establishment of ranches.

R. Cramer suddenly resigned his position on the Nickel Plate yesterday and has left the city. The place thus made vacant in Conductor J. D. Hibinger's crew has been taken by A. A. Sanders.

A new Ajax improved bolt-header was placed in operation at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning. It makes 105 revolutions per minute and turns out bolts very rapidly. Fred Muhlenbruck is the operator.

H. G. Beneke, F. W. Ropa, H. Gerken, John F. Szink and M. R. Hardendorf, Pittsburg shopmen, are sick. A. R. Tagtmeyer, W. C. Ropa and L. H. Neireiter, of the same shops, are off duty by permission.

Grand Rapids and Indiana train No. 3 was an hour late in reaching the city last evening. The engine got its pony trucks and one pair of drivers off a derail, but was able to get on again without the assistance of the wreck crew. No damage.

A company has been organized with $50,000 capital to manufacture the railroad track mover invented by D. C. Creese. The plant will be built at Sharon, Pa., and give employment to several hundred men.

The Illinois Central on Saturday closed a contract with the Pittsburg locomotive works for thirty mogul type of engines, five ten-wheel passenger engines and five six-wheel switch engines, a total of forty locomotives, costing $350,000.

The Lackawanna road, which is said to be enjoying the most prosperous period of its history, has ordered sixty new engines and is preparing to put on new trains which will make the run between New York and Buffalo in nine hours.

Mrs. F. O. Bayless left January 5th for Columbus, Ohio, to join her husband, who is an employe of the electrical department of the Jeffes Manufacturing company. Mr. Bayless was an employe of the Fort Wayne Electric works for seven years. For the past year and a half he has been employed at the Sieman-Halske works, of Chicago. He is well pleased with his new position and the city of Columbus.

Western roads have agreed to make a rate of one fare, plus $2, for the round trip to Washington and return for the inauguration of President McKinley on March 4. Tickets at this rate will be sold on February 28 and March 1 and 2 from the western state lines of Colorado and Wyoming, and on February 27 and 28 and March 1 from points west thereof, but no tickets will be sold to reach eastern gateways before March 1. Tickets will be good to return until March 8.

Prof. Anton Sporl, a talented violinist, has come to Fort Wayne and will make this city his future home. Professor Sporl has opened an office in room 90, Schmitz block.

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ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

Again the theory advanced by the charter tinkers that Fort Wayne is the worst governed city in the union and needs a new police force has been effectually refuted. For the past twenty-four hours the city has been like one grand Utopian Elysium of law, order, tranquillity, peace and great joy for all men. Not a single arrest was made and a police judgeship would be a sinecure of the most sinnicky kind.

Miss Klingsmith, a teacher in the public schools, last night found a pocketbook on the sidewalk in Lakeside, containing in cash, notes and certificates of deposit upwards of seven hundred dollars. The wallet was given to City Clerk Monning, who turned it over to Superintendent Geraline.

The two men who are selling hair restorer in the city, in addition to their pranks as related in yesterday's Sentinel, are selling without a license and are being anxiously searched for by the police. They are very bold and in several instances reported from West Berry street they were absolutely insulting.

V. L. Sweet, a farmer living two miles north of the city reports the loss of a lap robe, which was taken from his buggy while standing on Harrison street, between Main and Columbia, between 11 and 12 o'clock last night.

James Jarrett, of 231 Force street, reports the loss of a horse by poisoning. Last Monday Mrs. Jarrett saw a stranger go into the barn and shortly afterward leave. The next day one of the horses was taken sick and a veterinary was called. The horse died Wednesday and the doctor says that death was unmistakably caused by poison. Who the dastard is that administered it Mr. Jarrett is utterly unable to conjecture, as he is not aware of having an enemy mean enough to resort to such a measure to revenge himself. The police are investigating the matter, with little hope of getting any clue to the perpetrator of the outrage.

The contract for the continuation of the compressed air system of raising water in the deep wells has been properly signed and forwarded to the Shaw-Kendall company at Toledo. There were some slight modifications in the agreement as originally drafted, but the general terms are as stated in The Sentinel several days ago. Ten wells will be connected, a larger compressor put in, the city will furnish the fuel and the company shall receive $2,000 for the six months' service. In the meantime should the city decide to install its own plant a rebate from the rental of the machinery will be allowed by the Shaw-Kendall company and the lease can be terminated at any time.

The board of public works will meet this evening, but no business of special moment is before it now. It is probable that the straightening of the river channel on the Clinton street flats may be informally discussed.

A six-inch water main on Taylor street broke yesterday and the water supply on that street between Broadway and Fairfield avenue has been shut off pending repairs, which will be completed immediately. The break was occasioned by the taking away of the earth support in the construction of the South Wayne sewer.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

GRIP IN PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 10.—Philadelphia physicians say the grip is spreading throughout the city with the rapidity with which is has claimed more than 10,000 victims in New York and Chicago. Few deaths have been recorded as due directly to the disease, bt the general increase in pneumonia, which has its inception in the grip, is causing much alarm.

HEAD FEELS LIKE BURSTING.

Maybe you were out late last night? If you had taken a Krause's Headache Capsule before retiring your head would be cool and clear this morning. Take one now and you will be all right in an half hour. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

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Many Lives Lost

In Klondyke. Frozen and Starved.

It is unnecessary to go to Klondyke when I can find you a young gold mine here in this town. I saw an "ad" in The Sentinel, "Wanted, old currency." I have 10c, 25c, 50c paper; also gold dollars, $2.50, $3.00, large pennies, silver 3c, 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c, from 1807 to 1900, and old foreign country pieces. I gathered in my gold mine without digging or sifting. The currency is for sale, and also groceries and meats for sale. Look at our prices:

All City Flour, $4 per bbl.
Potatoes, 40c per bu.
Navy Beans or Sweet Peas, 4 qts 25c.
Tomatoes, 3-lb can, 8c.
Sweet Can Corn, 8c.
Oil and Mustard Sardines, 5c per box.
10 bars Soap, 25c.
Parlor Matches, 2,400 for 15c.
Cabbage, 5c per head.
Plug Tobacco, 30c per lb.
Beans, 5c per can.
Hominy, 3-lb can, 5c.
Rice, 5c per lb.
Buckwheat, 10c to 15c per sack.
Cornmeal, 5c per sack.
Breakfast Bacon, 10c per lb.
California Ham, 8c lb.
Boiling Meat, Roast, Steak, Pork, Mutton and all kind of Sausages at reduced prices.
$3 Men's Shoes, for $2.
$2.25 Men's Shoes for $1.50.
Men's Working Shoes, $1.00.
Ladies' $3 and $3.50 Shoes, $2.
Every day Shoes and Slippers, 75c to $1 pair.
Ladies' Rubbers, 25c.
Men's Rubbers, 35c.

Also Men's Furnishing Goods at half price. Our store is improved. Gas and electric lights. We are surely selling out and sell or rent the building, and will retire. Twenty-three years in this place. Feed store connected. Hay, straw, corn, oats and all kind of feed. Remember the place, 208 Hanna Street. Home telephone 663. Also our Franklin hotel, improved; gas and electric lights; rooms furnished in best of style. Order your meals; will cook what you want. Rooms to yourself, $3.50 per week. We have our own supplies. Our business is all connected in one.

PICKARD BROS'.
RED TAG

SALE

Is now on and will continue through the month of January.

We Intend to Make This....

The Greatest Furniture Sale
EVER GIVEN IN FORT WAYNE.

In order to clear our floors to make room for our new spring stock, which we are already contracting for in large quantities, we shall mark our present stock at about .....

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Don't Miss this Chance. - - - No Old Shopworn Goods.

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12 AND 14 EAST COLUMBIA STREET.

RURODE'S....

20th Century Sale.....

This is the Time

When it is true economy to spend money The only profit we expect now, is the advertising we get from the bargains we are giving.

We are Making Customers, Not Money.

Big crowds and small profits is the watchword here during this sale.

Every Counter a ..Bargain Counter.

We match the merchandise of all competitors, giving the same goods for less money, or better goods for the same money.

THE.....

Rurode Dry Goods Co.

—THE—

Citizens Trust Company,

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CAPITAL, $200,000.00.

3 Per Cent. Interest Paid on Deposits.....

| One Dollar |

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Ladies, 25c; gentlemen, 50c. 'Phone 1172 Main.

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IT'S ABOUT THE FIGURE

That suits, and the suits about right for the figure.

$23.00

Pretty low, and they've moved right lively, too. Mautner will continue this offer for a time. Suits worth from $25 to $30 now going for $23.

Trouserings at $6.00 that are worth up to $8.00.

See our window display.

I. Mautner & Co.

52 CALHOUN ST.

The Evening Sentinel.

THURSDAY, JAN. 10, 1901.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Editorial Rooms 650
Business Office 173

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Forecast for Indiana—Threatening tonight; Friday fair; colder tonight and in extreme south portion Friday; brisk westerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

John Dalman left today for California, where he expects to remain three or four months.

Mrs. A. Griffith will entertain the members of the Plymouth Chautauqua circle this evening.

Two of the post office force are off duty. They are George D. Piepenbrink, carrier, and Guy J. Gilbert, clerk.

William Young has purchased the interest formerly owned by Daniel McPhall in the firm of Viberg & Co.

The Mulqueen Dancing academy will give a pogressive pedro and dance to its pupils and friends this evening.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of Bethel Evangelical church will be held this evening.

Miss Maud Challenger will entertain the Farther Light society of the Baptist church at her home, 70 Madison street, this evening.

Mrs. Saylor charmingly entertained the members of the Utile Dulci club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. William Lawson was to have been the hostess, but could not entertain on account of illness.

Mrs. Charles A. Drummond, of West Williams street, who has been dangerously ill at Hope hospital for the past two months, returned home yesterday very much improved in health.

Ninety members of Kekionga Council, No. 93, of the National union, were present at the installation of officers last evening, and a smoker was held at the close of the lodge session.

Several officers of the Dahlonega Mining company were in the city Wednesday looking after the erection of new machinery which is being built for them at the Bass works. The party included George H. Breyman and Frank Thomson, of Toledo, and J. W. Adams, of Chattanooga.

BUTTER DOWN 2C POUND.

EGGS DOWN 2C DOZEN.

Best Country Roll Butter, 18c lb.
Strictly Fresh Eggs, 20c dozen.
All Best City Flour, $4.00 bbl.
Best Garrett Mills Flour, $3.75 bbl.
Home Grown Potatoes, 40c bush.
Michigan Potatoes, 45c bushel.
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 40c peck.
Choice Yellow Onions, 20c peck.
Spanish Onions, 5c pound.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 11c lb.
Picnic Hams and Shoulders, 8c lb.
English Breakfast Bacon, 12½c lb.
Buckwheat Flour, 10 lbs 28c.
New Vermont Maple Syrup, 75c gallon.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

NOTICE.

I hereby notify all parties that I will not be responsible for any money loaned to my son, Henry C. Heuer.

10-3t WILLIAM HEUER.

FLOUR, MEATS, OYSTERS.

Mayonlee Flouring Mills' Roller Granulation Flour, $4.00 bbl. Try this Flour. Every sack guaranteed equal to any Flour made.
All City Brands Flour, $4.00 bbl.
Rock Creek Favorite, $3.75 bbl.
Pure Buckwheat Flour, 3c lb.
All Pancake Flours, 5c pkg.
Quaker and Mother's Oats, 10c pkg.
Sugar Cured Hams, 11c lb.
Fine Sugar Cured Bacon, 12½c lb.
Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, 8c lb.
Sugar Cured Corned Beef, 8c lb.
Pork Shoulders and Spare Ribs, 7c lb.
Pork Chops or Sausage, 8c lb.
Boiling Beef, 6-7c lb.
Large Select Oysters, 25c can.
Large Stewing Oysters, 20c can.
Extra Fine Celery, 25c bunch.

GREATEST GROCERY CO.

Infants Shoes

At Thing & Co.'s big mid-winter sale, 1,000 pairs Infants' Soft Sole Shoes, sizes 0 to 4, over 50 styles; the 50c kind, for 25c; all colors; a new lot.

S. B. THING & CO.,
No. 32 Calhoun St.
H. B. TOBEY, Manager.

VISITING NURSE LEAGUE.

The Visiting Nurse League desires to make an appeal to the public for an emergency case. At present its treasury is practically empty, yet the visiting nurse is nobly performing her work. A week ago an emergency arose in which it was necessary to send a nurse to a destitute family, four children, who were attacked with diphtheria, one having died, the other three very near death's door. The nurse employed regularly could not abandon her work and go, and there was no alternative but to send a trained nurse, trusting to the generosity of the people to help out. Donations for this purpose must be handed in at once and may be sent to or left at Room 8, City Hall building, when they will be turned over to the treasurer, Dr. Carrithers Calvin. Should the amount received exceed the requirements, the surplus will be put into a special fund to meet like emergency cases.

In connection with this, to show the line of work in which the visiting nurse is engaged, the following report for the past month, made at the League meeting, Wednesday afternoon, will be both interesting and instructive:

Number of calls made..... 70
Number of baths given..... 17
Number of massages given.... 12

Donations given: New garments, 19; old garments, 4; shoes, 2 pairs; soap, 2 cakes; vegetables, 1 peck; milk, 2 quarts; buttermilk, 1 quart; malted milk, 5 pounds; meat, 3 pounds; jelly, 3 glasses; oranges, 1 dozen; medicine, 3 ounces; soda, 3 pounds; flowers, one-half dozen; calico, 3 yards; stew pan, tin cup; Christmas presents to 9 families.

Donations received: New gowns, 2; jelly, 14 glasses, from Dorcas society English Lutheran church; pillow cases; two shirts; books and toys from Sunshine society and others; $3 from Sunshine society.

Expenses: Car fare, $2.42; meat and vegetables, 40c; soda, 18c; car, 5c; shoes, $1; flowers, 35c; fruit, 40c; milk, 12c; calico, 36c; [illegible] ments, 25c; medicine, 85c; washing, 50. Total, $6.92.

SERVICES OF PRAYER.

The following prayer meetings of Simpson M. E. church will be held at the home of members on Friday:

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of David Bricker, 25 Oliver street; leader, pastor.

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of J. W. Wetzel, 60 Swinney avenue; leader, Alta Hines.

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of Mrs. Smith, 143 East Creighton avenue; leader, Mrs. Siegler.

2:30 p. m.—Meeting at the home of Mr. Wright, 10 Colerick street; leader, Mrs. Brandenburg.

Rubbers

At Thing's big mid-winter sale.
Men's Rubbers, 35c, 50c, 65c.
Ladies' Rubbers, 25c.
Ladies' 60c Rubbers, Goodyear Glove, 40c.
Misses' Rubbers, 25c and 35c.
Men's Federal and Boston $3.25 Rubber Boots, $2.47.
Men's Buckle Arctic Overshoes, 75c and $1.00.
Youths' and Misses' 85c Arctics, 50c.
Ladies' $1.00 Storm Alaska Overshoes, 49c.
It will pay you to take in Thing's big sale.

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All City Flour, $4.00 per bbl.
Country Flour, $3.75 per bbl.
Keystone Flour, best on earth, $4.80 per bbl.
Best Michigan Sand Potatoes, 50c per bu.
California Prunes, 5c, 8c and 10c per lb.
California Muhr Peaches, 10c per lb
Fancy California Apricots, 12½c lb.
Fancy Jersey Cranberries, 10c qut.
Fancy Evaporated Apples, 10c lb.
Fancy Wax Lemons, 20c doz.
3-lb can Pie Peaches, 10c per can.
3-lb can California Peaches, first-class, 15c per can.
We give you Uncle Sam Trading Stamps at

THE NEW KEYSTONE,
238 and 240 Calhoun St.

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On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7, Bass Block. 2tf

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Blue Sea warranted pure Cod Fish and absolutely boneless, 12c lb.
Queen of the Sea, next best, 10c lb.
Whole George's Cod, 8c lb.
Large Family Mackerel, 10c and 15c lb.
Will be open this evening.

SKELTON'S GROCERY.

Taft's Anniversary....

Greatest of All Sales.

Hosiery and Underwear.

Everything as Advertised or Yours for Nothing.

In no department will the reductions be more emphatic than in that of our hosiery and underwear. . . . . .

ONE LOT CHILDREN'S RIBBED vests and pants, sizes 3, 4 and 5, for ages 3 to 12 years; regular price has been 19 cents.....
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 12½ CENTS.

BOYS' HEAVY FLEECE LINED shirts and drawers, sizes 24 to 34, for ages 5 to 16 years; formerly sold for 35 to 48 cents....
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 25 CENTS.

ONE LOT CHILDREN'S WOOL vests formerly sold for 25 cents..
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 15 CENTS.

50 DOZ. MEN'S HEAVY FLEECE lined shirts and drawers, sizes 34 to 44; the kind you pay 50 cents for .....
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 25 CENTS.

ONE LOT LADIES' FINE EGYTTIAN yarn, fleece-lined vests and pants; have been ready sellers at 35 cents .....
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 25 CENTS.

ONE LOT LADIES' GOOD quality fleece-lined ribbed vests; the 25 cent kind.....
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 19 CENTS.

50 DOZ. MEN'S WOOL FLEECE lined shirts and drawers, sizes 34 to 44; same as you pay at many stores 75 cents for.....
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 39 CENTS.

ONE LOT MEN'S ALL WOOL blue and black overshirts; sells regularly for $1.25.....
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 89 CENTS.

ONE LOT MEN'S HEAVY Navy blue ad black fleece lined overshirts; regular price 69 cents.
ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICE 45 CENTS.

A large and most complete stock of hosiery in wool, fleece lined and cotton. All on sale at our greatly reduced Anniversary Sale Prices.

TAFT'S, 54 Calhoun - - - Street.

BERKEY-HAHN.

Miss Nora Hahn and Erven C. Berkey, both of this city, were quietly married at the parsonage of Grace Reformed church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. A. K. Zartman. Mr. and Mrs. Berkey formerly resided in Goshen, and they will probably make that city their future home.

REV. DR. HENSON ILL.

A Providence, R. I., paper which has just reached the city, contains the first sermon of Rev. Dr. L. L. Henson, delivered at the Cranston Street Baptist church in that city last Sunday morning. It is also stated that Dr. Henson was taken ill during the day, and his physican forbade him leaving the house to preach the evening sermon. Dr. Henson is threatened with pneumonia.

Reserve your seats for the Drummond Benefit Entertainment Friday night. 9t2

Mrs. Clara Diana Stacy will give a chart talk to ladies at her home, 24 W. Berry St., Jan. 11th, at 2:30 p. m. Subject, "Health the Foundation of the Home." 9-2t

Cost means nothing at the Daugherty Smoke Sale. The finest of Millinery is being sold at about 1-4 the actual cost. 8tf

TAILOR-MADE SUITS

And coats are our specialty. Get our prices and examine our goods. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 East Berry street. 27-tf

FOOTWARM FOR COLD FEET A pure and harmless powder for the shoes. At druggists, 25c. d273m

Fine Millinery (slightly damaged by smoke) is now being sold at Daugherty's at a small fractional of the original cost. 8tf

TURN A NEW LEAF.

Get one of the handsome Savings Banks at the Citizens' Trust Co. and start a savings account for the New Year. 28-26t

SMOKE SALE.

The Daugherty stock of Fine Millinery is now on sale. Slightly damaged goods are being almost given away. 8tf

ALLEN COUNTY LOAN AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION.

Commence the new year by taking stock in the Allen County Loan and Savings Association. 5 per cent interest paid on all kinds of stock. 28-26t

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Any woman may have beautiful hair. If it is a trifle thin, we can help her with one of our Switches. There is more value to them than the mere intrinsic cost.

To reduce stock we will for the remainder of this month give a 20 per cent. discount on all Switches.

Now is your time to purchase.

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THURSDAY, JAN. 10TH.
The Big Beauty Show,
HURTIG & SEAMON'S

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The Best Burlesque Company on the Boards,
A large Chorus of Handsome Women.
Prices—25c, 50c and 75c. Seat sale Thursday.

MASONIC TEMPLE.....

SATURDAY MATINEE and NIGHT, JANUARY 12.

Al. Martin's Mammoth

"Uncle Tom's Cabin"

The original version. Grand free street parade. Prices—10, 20, 30 and 50 cents; matinee, children, 10; adults, 20 and 30 cents.

MASONIC TEMPLE.....

THURSDAY, JAN. 17TH,
CHARLES FROHMAN
Presents the Enormous Dramatic Triumph,
DAVID BELASCO'S VERSION
—OF—

"ZAZA"

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200 NIGHTS IN NEW YORK.
Sale of seats Monday, Jan. 14.
Prices, 25, 50c, 75c and $1.00 Box seats, $1.50.

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